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BIRTHS.

BRIDGES—May 1, 1926, at 9 Sedan terrace, Enniskillen, to Mr. and Mrs. W. Bridges, a son.

GOODBODY—May 4, 1926, at Hyde street, Winchester, to Mr. and Mrs. Jerome M. Goodbody, a son.

DEATHS.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for insertion in this column will be found on Page 6.

CUNNINGHAM—At his residence, Bridge street, Ballinrobe, Constantine Cunningham, aged 81 years. High Mass to-day (Saturday) at 10.30 a.m. Parish Church. Funeral to the Abbey Cemetery to-morrow (Sunday) at 3 p.m.

JOHNSTON—May 3, 1926, at Lisdoogan, Ballymote, Richard Powell Johnston, aged 16 years. Funeral took place to Emlaghfad Graveyard on Wednesday, May 5th.

LEWIS—May 6, 1926, at her residence, Green Dragon, Carlow, Sarah, daughter of the late Edward and Martha Lewis. "Thy will be done." Funeral to Killedmond to-morrow (Sunday) at 10 a.m.

McCANN—May 5, 1926, at her residence, Kilmolin, Enniskerry, Bridget, widow of the late William McCann. Deeply regretted by her sorrowing family. R.I.P. Funeral to-day (Saturday), Curlestown, 4 p.m. American papers please copy.

MAHON—May 7, 1926, at a Private Hospital in Dublin, George Gilbert Mahon, of Weston, Abacragh, County Galway.

MENZIES—May 7, 1926, at her residence, 15 Clarinda Park, West, Kingstown, Katherine, second daughter of the late James Menzies, Manager, Provincial Bank, Ennis.

RYAN—May 6, 1926, at his residence, 75 Lower Gloucester street, James, son of the late James Ryan, Horse-Dealer. Deeply regretted by his sorrowing brothers and sister. R.I.P. Funeral this (Saturday) morning, after 10 o'clock Mass, from Church of Our Lady of Lourdes, Lower Gloucester street.

SUGDEN—May 5, 1926, at "Alcoa," Foxrock, County Dublin, Frederick Larner Sugden, of Leek, Staffs, aged 70 years. Funeral from "Alcoa," Foxrock, to-day (Saturday), 8th May, leaving 10 a.m., to St. Fintan's, Sutton, arriving Sutton Cross 10.45.

WHYTE—May 6, 1926, at Nice, Robert Stanley, youngest and dearly-beloved son of Benjamin William and Eveline S. Whyte, Ailesbury road, Dublin, aged 21 years.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

Miss O'Neill desires to thank all friends for kind sympathy in her recent trouble.

Mrs. E. P. Shaw (Eaton square). **Dr. R. Shaw** (Ranelagh road), and **Mr. W. T. Shaw** (Navan) desire to return sincere thanks for the numerous messages of sympathy received on the death of their brother, Dr. R. Hill Shaw, Brighton, Essex.

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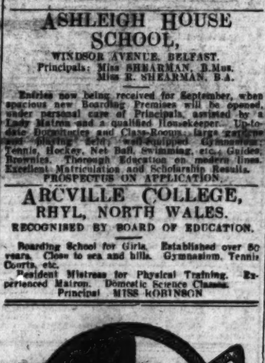
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COMPANION Housekeeper, good cook, wishes post; Dairy or occasionally.—H 607, this office. 6 B

DRESSMAKER, experienced, Wants Work, (ladies' houses); well recommended.—1823, Irish Times Branch Office, Bargot street Bridge. 7 C

ELDERLY Lady, experienced, wishes to keep house; mind children, or invalid; highly recommended.—H 740, this office. 7 C

GENTLEMAN seeks position as Accountant, in established city Firm's Office; highest references, certificates.—H 715, this office. 7 C

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LADY Housekeeper, now disengaged; highly experienced; capable, accustomed large establishment. Married, Country; highly recommended.—H 709, this office.

RESPECTABLE Person, 40, R.C., seeks re-engagement, Housekeeper to gentleman; good cook; trustworthy; long, satisfactory discharges. Address "Z 712, Person," this office. 6 B

RETIRED Officer's Daughter (17) seeks first post as Companion Governess; first lessons; references; Companion, Governess; experienced; married couple, drive pony; country preferred; excellent references given and expected.—1821, Irish Times Branch Office, Bargot street Bridge. 6 X

REFINED Lady, in reduced circumstances, desires light employment, looking after Children or Household duties; 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. daily; South side preferred. State salary.—H 672, this office. 7 C

REFINED Protestant, go Mother's Help; Ranelagh, Leeson Park district; a selfe woman; help lessons; knowledge nursing.—606, Wilde's Office, Dame.

SALESMAN—Applicant requires post as Motor Sales-man or Assistant Salesman Demonstrator. Address "Z 881, Salesman," this office.

WELL educated young Girl, Protestant, of good appearance, seeks position as Shorthand Typist in Engineer in city office; excellent references; small salary to begin. Address "Z 862, Girl," this office. 7 A

WANTED, post, qualification, care of invalid, gentle work, housekeeping, etc.; nice home more an object than high salary. Address "Z 886, Post," this office.

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WANTED, Man or Women as General Servant, all duties, for lady and gentlemen in Co Wexford; must be first class cook, and accustomed to good service; salary £30 per year. Address, with copies of testimonials, to "Z 853, General," this office. 5 A

STEWARDS AND GARDENERS WANTED.

WANTED, experienced Gardener; state age, wages, and copies.—H 523, this office. 5 A

WANTED, an experienced Gardener, married; cottage, lodge; copies.—Counihan, Connaught, Newbridge. 6 F

EMPLOYMENT WANTED.

A SMART young Boy desires training, Page or other position, hotel or private house; highest references. H 680, this office.

EXPERIENCED Porter, excellent reference, willing good worker, go anywhere; would go kitchen porter. H 721, this office.

INTELLIGENT country Girl (age 21) wishes training, Linen and Stores, Hotel or Restaurant; good needlewoman.—H 718, this office. 7 C

REPRESENTATIVES WANTED.

CANVASSER, to work on commission; one with knowledge of Lorry Tyre Trade preferred. Quarters to H 646, this office. 6 F

FIRST Class Salesmen, carrying well-known lines, Required for Dublin and district, also South, West, and North of the Free State, for the sale of popular grocery line on commission; only men with established wholesale and retail connection need apply; state full particulars of age, experience, lines carried, at present, etc.—H 768, this office.

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MEDICAL APPOINTMENTS.

A QUALIFIED Dental Surgeon has vacancy for a Pupil.—H 492, this office. 5 A

CAPABLE, experienced Nurse Attendant (R.C.), disengaged, mental or chronic case.—B O 723, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines. 6 A

CHEMIST'S Apprentice seeks vacancy; passed recent Preliminary Examination; smart and well recommended.—H 560, this office. 6 B

CERTIFIED Nurse, Avondale, Strand road, Sandymount, Dublin—Vacancy Patient, paralytic, slight mental; entire charge; moderate. 7 C

LADY, R.C., seeks post, Nurse-Companion to elderly lady; assist housekeeping; adaptable; references. Address "Z 866, Lady," this office. 4 F

MEDICAL Hall for immediate disposal, good farming district, South; small capital required. Address "Z 772, Hall," this office. 4 F

NURSE Attendant wishes post; good references.—1824, Irish Times Branch Office, Baggot street Bridge. 7 C

PROBATIONERS Wanted in Children's Hospital in Dublin; healthy, well educated girls, 17 to 18; small par; no fee.—H 456, this office. 4 F

PHARMACEUTICAL Chemist (near Dublin) requires experienced Assistant, R.C. (locum); send copies of testimonials, age, salary expected. Address "Z 824, Chemist," this office. 6 B

PHARMACEUTICAL Chemist (lady) disengaged; first class city experience; excellent references.—Box 1168, Irish Times Branch Office, Cork. 7 C

TEMPORARY Nurse Attendant Wanted for old gentleman, from 12th May for two weeks.—H 769, this office.

WANTED, a middle-aged, respectable, well recommended Man or Nurse, Valet to an invalid gentleman; good wages to suitable person; none need apply unless capable. Address "Z 877, Man," this office. 7 A

LEGAL APPOINTMENTS.

JUNIOR Law Clerk, three years' experience, desires position; competent shorthand writer; small salary. Address "Z 817, Law Clerk," this office. 5 A

LEGAL—Wanted, Cost Drawer, experienced, first class Southern Office; permanent; good opening; small £5 per week.—H 747, this office.

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By Order,

JAMES J. DOYLE,

Chief Clerk and Accountant.

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BANNERMAN AND SONS, LTD., 33 YORK STREET, MANCHESTER, require the services of a thoroughly experienced Man to Open and Manage their Tunic Hat Factory, situated near Manchester. Only fully qualified need apply. Applications will be treated in strict confidence, and the utmost consideration will be given to any case in which it may be desired. Address in the first instance must be made by letter, addressed to the Secretary, giving full particulars as to age, experience, and salary required. 7 C

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HITECTURAL Draughtsman required; state terms and experience.—H 753, this office. 7 C

HICULTURAL Implements and Machinery—An old-established city Firm has an opening for a live, well-educated, energetic youth; good writer and quick at figures and general. Replies, with copies references, age, etc., to 7 C

s, this office.

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MAID Wanted, accustomed to good class trade; ble to take charge. Address "Z 854, Barrow, 5 A

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firm requires capable Ledger Clerk (male); Apply, stating age, experience, salary required, nclose copies of references.—H 567, this office. 7 C

PANION Help, C.I. Wanted for Queen's Co.; ow in family; no servant kept. Reply, with copies ence, state age and salary, 46, Wilde's Office, Bray. 7 C

Office has vacancy for capable young Man as k. Give full particulars of education, previous ence, age, and salary expected (in own handwrit- H 736, this office. 7 C

CKEN Rearing—Difficulties and how to cope with explained by an expert in the Weekly Irish Times" to-day. 5 A

ERAL Draughtsman, Millwright—Wanted, young with good experience of country business; Apply, with reference, salary (indoor), Ad- "Z 825, Lady's Pets Office. 6 B

CERY—Wanted, an energetic young Man (Junior) er Counter (Provisions) for South; accustomed to ss trade.—H 714, this office. 7 C

T requires useful Help (Protestant); good cook, ; all duties; family 2; Dartmouth Sq. 2 C

TH Circular road—Advertisements for this Paper received by Mr. Johnson, Newsagent, who seeks care office, Olde Toll House, Phoenix Park Gate, North ar road. 7 C

PUL Companion Help, R.C. Wanted for country 25 or 30. Send copies reference to "Z 873, this office. 7 C

NTED by City Firm, smart Youth, with some rience of Ironmongery and Hardware Business, reference, experience, and salary required, to 4 Y ; this office.

NTED, Apprentice to the Butchering Trade— Humphry Smith and Sons, Mountmellick. 7 C

NTED at once, good experienced Lady for Sales, dantic Department, in large Southern town. Ad- explaining experience of references and stating ge, to "Z 746, Lady," this office. 4 E

NTED, Ladies to Sell Emblems during May Week; liberal terms; big profits to 40/- day. 50 Middle Abbey street.

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NTED, a healthy Boy, about 14 or 15 years of ; to Messenger. Apply H 745, this office. 7 C

NTED, Lady, thoroughly experienced Bookkeeper, Typist and Shorthand Writer; state experience and —H 672, this office. 7 C

NTED, for city Timber Merchant's Office, young onfidential Clerk. Reply, stating age, experience, etc., to H 584, this office. 7 C

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WANTED, Man or Woman as General Servant, all duties, for lady and gentleman in Co. Wexford; must be first class cook, and accustomed to good service; wages £30 per year, etc. Address, with copies of testimonials, to "Z 852, General," this office. 5 A

STEWARDS AND GARDENERS WANTED.

WANTED, experienced Gardener; state age, wages, and previous copies.—H 523, this office. 5 A

WANTED, an experienced Gardener, married; state wife's (or lodge) copies.—Donnithorn, Connaughtmore, Newbridge. 5 A

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POSITIONS VACANT.

OK, experienced, temperate, Wanted, first class Commercial Hotel, country; must be busy hotel; Waterford; young, of some experience. Address "Z 810, this office. 5 Y

HOUSEMAIDS required. Apply Hotel Russell, 7 A

COACHMAN, Protestant, single; highest references; good servant; indoor and out.—H 738, this office. 7 C

EMPLOYERS—Ty. Ferguson's Registry, Carlow, for reliable Chauffeurs, Hands, Ploughmen, Millers, Carters, Boys for Colleges, Hotels, etc.; Dublin, Ireland, Scotland. 24 F

GROOM, understands sires, mares, hunters, break and ride; young horses; good testimonials.—Gough, Town, Mullingar. 4 F

GENERAL Man, plain gardener; cook after mother, to help and train if required (married).—H 752, this office. 5 A

GAMEKEEPER, Cropper, Wheelman, moor or demesne; highly recommended; I.C., married. Address "Z 858, Gamekeeper," this office. 6 B

DUTYMAN Wanted, 25, strict T.T., seeks situation with lady or gentleman; mind pony or garden, plain food or sorry, make himself useful. Address "Z 811, Man," this office. 5 A

WANTED, situation as Groom Coachman, care of horses, plain cooking, handy generally; middle-aged; state terms. Address Coachman, Seymour House, Waterloo, Londonderry. 6 B

YARDMAN seeks situation, milking, farm work; recommended; state terms.—H 464, this office. 4 Y

YOUNG active Man, disengaged, experienced cattle, gardening, motors, handy; highly recommended.—H. Mc'Gwire, Stillorgan, Co. Dublin. 6 B

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EXPERIENCED Working Gardener, single, Handy-man; moderate wage; highly recommended.—H 651, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines. 6 F

EXPERIENCED Gardener seeks employment, four or five weekly; highly recommended.—H 701, this office.

GENTLEMAN highly recommends Head Working Gardener; first class knowledge of gardening and a great worker.—H 497, this office. 5 A

GARDENER, General, all branches; working son; family two; highest reference.—W. C., Ashton Park, Monkstown avenue. 5 B

GOOD Plain Gardener (indoor); drive Ford car, milk; good character; good references.—Andrews, Haystown Hall, Rush, Co. Dublin. 6 F

GARDENER, Protestant, experienced; married; well recommended; willing to be generally useful. Address "Z 865, Gardener," this office. 7 C

MRS. Bagwell thoroughly recommends Working Gardener; disengaged three days weekly; can bicycle to work. Apply Cundle, Carrickmines. 5 A

STEWARD and Stock Manager seeks engagement; life experience of stock, tillage, etc.; excellent testimonials; married, Protestant; disengaged owing to sale of country; interview at Show. Address "Z 735, Steward," this office. 5 B

STEWARD, Gardener (Scotch) desires engagement as married; first class testimonials from several, expiring Sprils. Apply H 749, this office. 7 C

WORKING Gardener, experienced, single, generally useful, handy, highly recommended. Address "Z 776, Gardener," this office. 4 Y

YOUNG Man seeks position, Gardening, Storman; recommended. State terms, H 507, this office. 5 A

DOMESTICS WANTED.

A YOUNG Working Housekeeper required; really good cook; willing and able to do entire work for small family. Send copies references and state wages, age and full particulars.—H 450, this office. 7 C

ADY, Classic, Cook, Generals, Parlourmaids, Housemaids, Kinsale.—Miss Bellingham Todd, 5 Grafton street. 7 C

AT Kennedy's, 56 Dorset street—Any number Servants, private and hotels; high wages. 7 C

RESPECTABLE Working Housekeeper Wanted, by single gentleman; North side; Protestant. Reference and means to H 728, this office. 7 C

WANTED, superior Working Housekeeper, Protestant, quiet country place; highly recommended; state age and wages. Address "Z 907, Housekeeper," this office. 4 A

WIDOWER requires capable Woman to keep house; three children 10 years upwards; references, wages. H 683, this office. 7 A

COOKS AND DAIRYMAIDS WANTED

COOK General Wanted, Killiney; well recommended; to train night nurse; no washing.—H 482, this office. 5 A

COOK General Wanted, last week May; other maid kept; must be fond of children. Apply between two and four, 14 Rusby Park road, Ratfarnham. 7 C

COOK General, young, Wanted; good cooking; take instructions; small family; Pembroke.—1825, Irish Times Branch Office, Baggot street Bridge. 7 A

CAN lady recommend trustworthy Cook General, protestant, R.C. for small house, London suburb, from 1st June; two in family. Address "Z 805, Cook General," this office. 5 A

EXPERIENCED Cook General Wanted; no dairy; strong Miss Pentlemaid required in June. Please send copies and full particulars, and send copies.—Mrs. Dick Goodbody, Upton Clare, King's County. 7 C

GOOD Plain Cook Wanted, single; under 35; clean, early riser; recommended.—Fairyhill, Black- 7 C

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ALL Professional and University Prelims. Oral and Correspondence. Shorse list free—McGUIRE'S COLLEGE, 5 Gardiner's Row. 6 D

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ANNA Mulapetz, 16 Lincoln place, gives Piano, Violin Lessons; £1 quarterly. Interviews Afternoons, Evenings. 7 B

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EXPERIENCED Nursery Governess and Mother's Help; Protestant, age 22; Companion.—271, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines. 7 C

EXPERIENCED doctor's wife, Mathematics Mistress receives resident pupils; good position, healthy district; Secondary School, in or near Dublin.—H 675, this office. 7 C

FRENCH Taught, direct method; preparations for examinations.—Mademoiselle Brupbacher, 4, Upper Ormond Quay, Dublin. 6 C

GILLESPIE'S Metropolitan College (Est. 1897)—Commercial Secretarial, Competitive.—160 Lower Mount street. Phone 69135. 7 C

GOVERNESS, highly educated, refined, wishes engagement; all usual subjects, music, French required abroad; well recommended.—H 551, this office. 7 C

LADY can highly recommend her Nursery Governess (Catholic); good experience; disengaged July 1st. Address "Z 876, Governess," this office. 7 C

NURSERY Governess or Mother's Help, R.C., requires re-engagement.—H 712, this office.

POST Graduate—Experienced Teacher desires six good students to coach own address; Clerical Officers Examination, July; nominal fee.—H 704, this office. 7 C

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WIRELESS Workers will be interested in the one-valve-for-three-stations, sketched in the "Weekly Irish Times" to-day. 5 A

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NURSERY Governess Wanted, R.C., two girls; good needlewoman; South side.—H 640, this office. 6 F

WANTED, Tutor to teach children; arithmetic and Irish essential.—H 481 this office. 4 Y

EMPLOYMENT WANTED.

ACCOUNTANT, eight years' experience in large business, exacting inquiries, desires change; excellent references. Address "Z 870, Accountant," this office. 5 A

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DISPENSER, experienced, Worker, Window dresser; well recommended.—Address "Z 840, Maid," this office. 6 B

EVELYN, Miss—Kindly Mother's Help seeks care office, mind children or invalid; highly recommended. H 740, this office. 7 C

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THOROUGHLY reliable Woman Housekeeper required for lady's house; must understand cooking, management, and be a good manager; references, state wages, age, and full particulars.—Z 826, this office. 6 D

WANTED, end of May, good plain Cook General; family; permanent; good wages; country; no dairy.—H 650, this office. Address "Z 813, Cook General," this office. 6 C

WANTED at once, young Cook General, experienced and respectable; two in family; Miss Barrington, 19 Merrion square, south. 6 B

WANTED, good Singlehanded Cook, Clonmel; two in other maids kept; Lady's Agency, Market Cross, Clonmel. 6 B

WANTED, for country place, good Cook General; two in family; good wages; state age and full particulars to Mrs. J. J. Elder Kelly's (rates), Ballinacurra, Co. Cork. 6 C

WANTED, end of May, good Cook, small family; kitchenmaid kept; good wages; state age, experience, and wages, to Mrs. Richard Goodbody, Clane House, Clane, Co. Kildare. 6 C

WANTED, good Cook General for Lennox Park.—H 754, this office.

WANTED, experienced Cook, General, also House Parlourmaid; must be well recommended; family three.—Mrs. Ellis, Hampstead, Dorset. X

YOUNG Cook General, Miss Daly, modern house, no basement, four adults, Blackrock, beside tram; £28-£30; copies.—H 519, this office. 5 X

GENERALS WANTED.

A TRUSTWORTHY General for Merrion; good plain cook, small washing; family 3.—H 753, this office.

CAN Lady recommend nice girl to train (Protestant) Kitchen, honest, willing to learn; orphan preferred. H 771, this office. 7 C

GENERAL Wanted for Howth; good cooking essential; family 3 adults; small washing; wages £28-£30; send copies. Address "Z 752, General." 7 C

GENERAL Wanted, two in family; small washing. Call after 6 o'clock, 47 Anglesea road.

GOOD General Wanted for North side; state terms.—H 748, this office. 7 C

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RATHGAR—Half House, Furnished, sittingroom, bedroom, kitchenette, use of bathroom (hot), w.c. and scullery; electric light; 30/-; weekly.—H 755, this office.

RATHGAR road—Flat, bedroom, sittingroom, kitchenette; £1 weekly.—R O 729, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines.

SELF contained Furnished Flat to Let, near Phoenix Park; two rooms, use of bathroom; no children.—H 413, this office.

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SUIT Business Lady—Very comfortable Quarters, Sydney parade; moderate.—H 703, this office.

SANDYMOUNT—Well Furnished bedroom and Sittingroom; moderate.—2 St. John's road.

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WELL Furnished Sittingroom and bedroom, also 1st Floor Combined Room.—41 Leinster road, Rathmines.

APARTMENTS TO LET CONTINUED

22 GROSVENOR Place—Furnished Bedroom; board if required; 25/- weekly.

25 SANDYMOUNT road—Apartments, well Furnished; suit gentlemen.

72 HADDINGTON road—Business double and single Sittingrooms; very well furnished.

96 ST. PETER'S (corner of)—Well Furnished Sittingroom, Bedroom, Kitchenette, bath; two inmates taken; attendance; suit gentleman.

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BROTHER and sister require Two Bedrooms, private Sittingroom, Clontarf; state terms.—H 376, this office.

BUSINESS Man requires Partial Board; Glasnevin preferred; state terms.—H 615, this office.

BUSINESS Lady requires bathroom, use of Sittingroom; dinner evening.—H 592, this office.

BROTHER and Sister require two bedrooms, sitting room, private or otherwise; attendance or board; moderate.—H 711, this office.

FURNISHED Flat; bedroom, sittingroom, kitchenette, bathroom, w.c.; absolutely self contained; rate text; married couple.—H 746, this office.

HALF small Furnished House wanted permanently, by gentleman and daughter; two bedrooms, sittingroom and kitchenette; £5 monthly; South side.—H 145, this office.

WANTED, Unfurnished Flat, Dublin suburbs; two bedrooms, sittingroom, etc.; moderate rental.—H 425, this office.

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4 ROOMED Furnished Flat, Rathgar, Rathmines, Terenure; moderate.—R O 728, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines.

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HOUSES TO LET AND WANTED.

AT Greystones—Unfurnished, Furnished, Sale, summer, Mr. Kinsella, Jones' Rise. 'Phone, One. 24 21.

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A GENTLEMAN'S Residence to Let, near Lahinch Golf Links, monthly or season; ample accommodation for a large family and staff; use of garden, pony and trap; good fishing and rough shooting; spring water supply and excellent drainage. Apply D. Murphy, Lahinch, Co. Clare.

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A TTRACTIVE Bungalow at Lahinch to Let, Furnished, 3 miles from Golf Links; Hotel Grounds; overlooking sea; six bedrooms, hot and cold running water each, large diningroom, drawingroom, bathroom, lavatory, etc.; electric light throughout; garage. Apply Dockrell Limited, Agents, South Great George's street.

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BALLY, Howth—Nicely Furnished Bungalow three bedrooms, etc., both hot and cold; every convenience; moderate.—Apply Bodkin Lodge, Howth.

BELLEVUE-TOWN—To Let, two Furnished Cottages for season; three bedrooms, maid's room, large sittingroom, kitchen, new range, enclosed garden. Apply Hosey, Honora Rosevilla, Bettystown.

COURTOWN—To Let, nicely Furnished Cottage, Furlong, Courtown, Co. Wexford.

CHARMING Summer Residence, Bally, Howth, Let, August; 3 reception rooms, 3 bedrooms; estate water supply, private beach.—H 703, this office.

COOLMAINE Castle, Bandon Co. Cork, partly Furnished, to Let for Summer months, or Sale; beautifully situated by the sea; splendid kitchen garden and pleasure grounds; Kilbrittain 2 miles, Bandon 8 miles; good accommodation, garage, etc.—Scanlan and Sons, 69 South Mall, Cork.

DUN Laoghaire, Sandycove—Furnished House Wanted, summer or longer; or 8 apartments; small family; best references.—H 594, this office.

DALKEY—Advertisements (Prepaid) for "Irish Times" can be handed in at Mr. Winstrie's Newsagency Station Buildings, 20 Castle street, Dalkey, up to 3.45 p.m. for insertion in the following day's Paper.

FURNISHED House overlooking island, five bedrooms, June, July, August and September; hot and cold water; extensive garden; stamped envelope for full particulars.—Box R 1128, Kenny's Advertising Agency.

FURNISHED House to Let for June and July; 3 bedrooms, 2 reception, etc., 18899, Irish Times Branch Office, Blackrock.

FURNISHED House to Let, six months or longer; moderate.—1855, Irish Times Branch Office, Blackrock.

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GREYSTONES—June, July, August, £50, Furnished Gt. Barnaby House; 4 beds, 4 reception, maid's; near sea, golf; 5 mins. station.

GREYSTONES—Furnished House to Let, summer months.—Willow House, Church road.

GREYSTONES—Cottage Let, Roselille, Burnaby, Furnished, July, September.

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HOWTH and Sutton—Furnished houses, summer months. Apply Wilde, Home Agent, Howth.

HOWTH Hill—To Let, Furnished House, July and August; 4 apartments, large garden, garage.—H 655, this office.

HOWTH—Furnished House, near Dunsirlan road, to Let, July and August; two reception, three bedrooms, kitchen, etc.—H 708, this office.

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IN addressing envelopes covering replies to advertisements in this Paper great care should be taken to include the catch word, when same is given, after the office Number, thus:—"Z 20, Housemaid," should be carefully written upon the envelope.

JULY, August—House, nine apartments; beside sea and golf links; Howth.—Apply Mrs. Doran, Upper Green Cottages, Howth.

KILCOOLE—Cottage to Let, 4 rooms, furnished, for summer months. Apply K. Doran, Upper Green Cottages, Howth.

KINGSTOWN—Furnished House, June; aspect south, sea views; 7 bedrooms, 3 sittingrooms, 2 bathrooms, Portyfoot bathing place, handycove.—H 515, this office.

KILKEE—House for May, Apartments for June, to Let; good attendance; ideal situation, close sea. Address "Z 859, House," this office.

KINGSTOWN—Furnished House to Let; seven apartments; every convenience; position; every accommodation; £3 monthly.—H 760, this office.

KINGSTOWN—8 Windsor terrace to Let, furnished, May, June; no basement.

LADY wishes to Purchase freehold preferred) small House or Cottage, with one to three acres; moderate in country.—Lady, Wilde's Office, Bray.

LUCAN—Furnished House to Let for a term; electric light. Apply Ardgath.

LAYTOWN—To Let for summer months, Furnished, four roomed Cottage, close railway.—Mrs. Sheridan, Laytown.

MALAHIDE—"The Shore Bungalow" to Let, Furnished, May.—Glenview, Swords.

MALAHIDE—Small Furnished House Wanted from September permanently, convenient to station.—H 637, this office.

MALAHIDE—To Let, Furnished, for June, July, and August, detached House, Apply O'H., Innisfallen, Malahide.

PORTMARNOCK—To Let, Furnished five roomed Cottage, August; cooker; near station, strand, and golf links. Address "Z 745, Cottage," this office.

PORTMARNOCK—Furnished Bungalow, also Cottage to Let, for July, months or longer. Address "Z 850, Bungalow," this office.

RUSH—Furnished Cottage, to Let; six apartments; available June 28.—Rees, 28 Fleet street.

SANDYCOVE—To Let, summer or longer, attractive detached Residence facing sea; garden, garage, tennis lawn, every convenience.—H 376, this office.

SKERRIES—Furnished House to Let, summer months; convenient golf, rail. Apply Dunsilion, Skerries.

SMALL House, near Kanakerry, to Let, furnished, June, July; very moderate rent.—H 616, this office.

SUTTON (close to sea)—Furnished House, summer 5 months; 5 bed, 3 reception, baths; tennis, golf.—H 596, this office.

SKERRIES—To Let, Furnished Cottage, on sea front. Apply Kean, Post Office.

SANDYCOVE—Furnished House to Let, two, three months, sea front; 7 rooms.—2 Otranto place.

TO Let, Foxrock, six roomed Bungalow, August; every convenience; garage; near station and links; no children.—H 408, this office.

TO Let, May, June, nicely Furnished House, adjoining golf links, facing strands.—Ivanon, Geary, Co. Wexford.

TO Let, facing sea, Sutton side, for 2 months, House; 4 reception, 4 bedrooms, garden, garage.—H 544, this office.

TO Let for June and July, Furnished House at Balbriggan, Co. Dublin, fifteen minutes' walk from town, ten minutes' from good bathing beach; four bedrooms, diningroom, drawingroom, breakfast room, kitchen and pantry; garage, private bathing box, and garden in fine court. Inspection arranged any time. Address "Z 800, House," this office.

TO Let, large Furnished House, Monkstown, for 4 months; 3 reception, 6 bedrooms, garden, garage.—Garland and Co., Auctioneers and House Agents, 57 Dame street, Dublin.

TO Let, Furnished House, five bedrooms, bathroom, own grounds; near sea and station.—Miss O'Connell, Baldoyle Downs, Kilcool, Co. Wicklow.

UNFURNISHED five roomed Bungalow to Let, Portmarnock; gentle people only. Address "Z 849, Bungalow," this office.

WICKLOW—Furnished House to Let, 4 apartments; June and July. Address "Z 891, House," this office.

4 ROOMED House, Furnished, to Let, one minute walk from Raheny Station. Address "Z 853, House," this office.

£500 OFFERED for a small House or large Flat, containing three bed and two sittingrooms, bathroom, etc.; must have good garden. Booterstown to Dalkey or Donnybrook districts.—H 568, this office.

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AT Sutton—To Let, Furnished Flat, five rooms; facing sea.—H 454, this office.

AT Monkstown, Belgrave square, Unfurnished self contained Flat, overlooking bay. Apply 5 Belgrave square.

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were settled to-day, the dislocation caused by it will take a considerable time to get over. The transport arrangements are upset and congested, serious delays are bound to occur, particularly in ordinary traffic, as preference must be given to perishable articles and foodstuffs.

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YESTERDAY'S CASES IN THE COURTS.

SALE OF BANKRUPT'S ASSETS.

BOGUS COURT MESSENGERS.
(BEFORE MR. JUSTICE HANNA.)

In the Bankruptcy Court, in the case of John Fagan, farmer, Frankstown, Dunshaughlin, County Meath, a bankrupt, an order was made against Patrick McDermott, a neighbour of the bankrupt, to pay to the Official Assignee £69, which he had received from the bankrupt under the following circumstances. When the Court was realising the assets of the bankrupt in April, 1925, he arranged with McDermott that the latter should buy in at the auction certain articles that he (Fagan) did not like to part with. McDermott purchased these, and other articles for himself, on the understanding that he would return them when the bankruptcy matter was settled. Fagan paid McDermott £69 on account. About a fortnight afterwards two men who represented that they had been sent by the Court called and asked McDermott for the £69. He refused to give it to them. On the 1st of August, after the bankrupt's brother, James, had an interview with him in Mountjoy Jail, the bankrupt wrote to McDermott directing him to pay the £69 to the two men should they call again. Shortly afterwards the men called upon him and McDermott paid them the money, and they said that a receipt would be sent to him by the Official Assignee.

The Official Assignee said that he knew nothing about the men.

Mr. Geoghegan, K.C. (instructed by Messrs. Reddin and Reddin), for McDermott, admitted that his client was responsible, and, under the circumstances, he undertook to pay the money to the Court.

In answer to the Judge, Mr. McDermott said that he thought he could identify the men if he saw them again.

Mr. Wood, K.C. (instructed by Messrs. E. F. Collins and Son) appeared for the Assignee.

SALE OF A MONAGHAN HOTEL.

COURT ORDER DISOBEYED.

Patrick Sherry, of Monaghan, was up for further examination. When he was examined by Mr. Edward Kelly (instructed by Messrs. E. F. Collins and Son), on the 6th inst., he admitted that he was adjudicated bankrupt on his own petition, and that his unsecured liabilities were about £18,000. Part of his property was the Stag Hotel, Monaghan, and two farms adjacent to the town. When the Court messenger went down and took possession of the hotel and adjoining grocery store, he went out on the bankrupt's farms to take an inventory of the stock on them. While he was there, it was alleged that a large portion of the stock in trade at the hotel had been removed. The Court ordered the sale of the hotel premises, and accepted the offer of Mr. John Mallon, which was the highest that was received. An order was made by the Court on the 3rd April last that the bankrupt should give up possession to the purchaser, but he disobeyed that order. He told the Court on Tuesday, and again yesterday, that his brother had sent in to the Court an offer of £1,750, which was higher than Mr. Mallon's offer, and, under the circumstances, he refused to give up possession.

Asked yesterday who beside himself lived in the hotel, he said that his brother and his nephew resided there with him. He positively refused "under the circumstances" to give up possession.

Mr. Justice Hanna advised the bankrupt to be reasonable, not to defy the law, and to give up peaceable possession without delay; otherwise his lordship would be compelled to send the whole lot of them to jail.

The examination was further adjourned for a week.

Mr. E. F. Collins said that the purchaser felt sore because the false rumour had gone round the country that he had got the hotel at a sacrifice or at a lower price than the bankrupt's brother had offered. There was no ground for such a statament, and no offer from the brother had been received.

CORK BUILDING SITES.

INTENDED ACTION FOR £11,000.
(BEFORE MR. JUSTICE O'BYRNE.)

In an intended action, in which the Hibernian Bank, Ltd., are plaintiffs, and Andrew O'Shaughnessy, Alex. J. Mageunis, Edward Grace, and James C. Dowdall defendants,

Mr. M. Binchy (instructed by Messrs. Babington, Clarke and Mooney), who appeared for all the defendants, except Edward Grace, applied for an order for the discovery of documents. Counsel said that the intended action was for recovery of the sum of £11,000, alleged to be due to the plaintiffs on foot of a guarantee, dated the 21st June, 1920, given to the plaintiffs to secure banking accommodation to the Cork Building Sites and Construction Company, Ltd.

It appeared from the affidavit of Alexander J. Mageunis, South Mall, Cork, incorporated accountant, one of the defendants, that, on Messrs. Henry Ford and Son, Ltd., being formed into a company and opening a motor works in the City of Cork, the plaintiffs were appointed bankers of that firm, and an account was accordingly opened at the Cork branch of the Hibernian Bank, where Mr. H. A. Pelly was and is the manager. The defendants alleged that they were induced by Mr. Pelly to join with him in the formation of, and to become directors with him of, the company known as the Cork Building Sites and Construction Company, Ltd., for the purpose of providing housing accommodation in and about the City of Cork for Messrs. Ford's workers. The plaintiffs, it was stated, had in their possession certain documents, including communications which were alleged to have passed between the plaintiffs and their manager, Mr. H. A. Pelly, and with Mr. Edward Grace, the other defendant.

Mr. Justice O'Byrne made the order for discovery.

LEAVE TO SIT IN THE DAIL.

APPLICATION BY SOLICITOR'S APPRENTICE.
(BEFORE THE CHIEF JUSTICE.)

In the matter of the Solicitors (Ireland) Act, 1898, and an application by John Patrick McCurtin, an apprentice,

Mr. M. J. Ryan (instructed by Messrs. Michael Gleeson and Son) applied on behalf of the apprentice for an order that, notwithstanding the provisions of Section 25, subsection 1 of the Solicitors (Ireland) Act, 1898, he may be at liberty, during the remaining period of his apprenticeship to sit as a duly elected member of Dail Eireann.

Counsel moved on an affidavit of Mr. L. P. Gleeson, of Nenagh, County Tipperary, which stated that by indenture of apprenticeship dated 22nd January, 1919, John Patrick McCurtin, of Castle street, Nenagh, became bound to him as an apprentice for the full term of five years, or for such smaller or lesser term, for which he might only be obliged to serve by reason of the remission of any portion under any of the several statutory grounds. Mr. McCurtin became exempt from passing the preliminary examination, and in October, 1920, passed the Intermediate examination. On the 13th March, 1922, he was sentenced at Enniskillen, in Northern Ireland, to a term of imprisonment for ten years. On the 26th January last, he being for the entire period in the interval in custody, was released under an arrangement affecting a class of political prisoners of which he was regarded as being one, and was now, in consequence, in a position, and was anxious to complete the remaining period of his apprenticeship, and to qualify as a solicitor and to practise in Saorstat Eireann. In the interval, and while he was in custody, he was elected as a member of Dail Eireann for the constituency of Tipperary at the General Elections for that body, held in August, 1923, and had recently taken the oath and sat in that assembly, and desired, with the approval and sanction of the Court, to continue and sit as such member, and to draw the salary or other allowances or emoluments to which his position as such entitled him, notwithstanding the provisions contained in Section 25, sub-Section 1 of the Solicitors (Ireland) Act, 1898.

Mr. Wakely, solicitor, Secretary of the Incorporated Law Society, said that Mr. McCurtin was going to serve from now till next October. There was no final examination till then. That covered everything, so that his Lordship's sanction was all that was wanted. The Law Society offered no objection. "There must be your Lordship's sanction," he added, "I don't want every apprentice to go into the Dail." (Laughter.)

The Chief Justice said that he did not want to make this decision as to whether a member of the Dail came within the section, but he would make the order, qualifying it by saying, "Notwithstanding any provision to the contrary," and if anyone wanted to discuss it anytime hereafter, it could be discussed. He thought that this was a proper case. Mr. McCurtin was entirely a political prisoner.

ELECTRICITY SUPPLY BILLS

COSTS OF OPPOSITION.
(BEFORE MR. JUSTICE SULLIVAN AND MR. JUSTICE O'BYRNE.)

In the cases of Richard Claude Cane, landowner and retired Colonel of the British Army, of Alen's Grove, Celbridge, Co. Kildare, against the Corporation of Dublin (now Borough Commissioners), and the same against the Liffey Syndicate, Ltd., an application was made on behalf of the defendants for an order, giving them leave to plead by way of defence to the plaintiff's claim, as endorsed on the writ of summons, relating to the costs of opposing three bills for the supply of electricity promoted by the Corporation and others.

The plaintiff claimed the sum of £437 4s. 1d. and £68 1s. 10d. from the defendants, being portion of his costs of opposing the East Leinster Electricity Supply Bill, 1924; the Dublin Electricity Supply Bill, 1924; and the Dublin and District Electricity Supply Bill, 1924, which, the plaintiff alleged, the defendants were ordered to pay to him by the report of the Joint Committee of the Oireachtas, of which Senator S. L. Brown, K.C., was Chairman.

Mr. Phelps, K.C., and Mr. Kingsmill Moore (instructed by Messrs. Carruthers and Gamble), appeared for the plaintiff in both cases; Mr. Wood, K.C., and Mr. Philip O'C. White (instructed by Mr. Ignatius J. Rice), for the Corporation, the defendants in the first case; and Mr. Wood, K.C., and Mr. E. S. Kelly (instructed by Messrs. Sheridan and Kelly), for the Liffey Syndicate, Ltd., the defendants in the second case.

Mr. Wood, K.C., who made the application, in the concluding portion of his argument, submitted that the Joint Committee of the Dail and Senate that had made the report mentioned had no legal existence, because it was unauthorised by the Constitution of the Free State, and that the standing order constituting the Joint Committee was *ultra vires*.

The Court, in consequence of the question raised by Mr. Wood, adjourned the case for further argument upon the point, directing that notice should be given to the Attorney-General, to afford him an opportunity of being heard. The application was accordingly adjourned.

SALE OF A FARM.

INTERESTING CASE AT DUNGARVAN.

The defence raised in an action for the specific performance of a sale of land, which came before Judge Sealy at the Dungarvan Circuit Court, was that the defendant was addicted to drink and was in consequence of weak intellect. He had refused an offer £200 higher than the price agreed to between the plaintiff and himself. It would be a great hardship for the wife and their four children to be turned out of the place, as there was no alternative accommodation for them.

The plaintiff was Thomas Wade, farmer, and the defendant Matthew Barry, both parties living within a few miles of the town.

Judge Sealy held that there was no doubt whatever that Barry knew what he was doing when the deed of assignment was drawn up. He thought that the price given for the farm was fair, but at the same time he had to consider that the wife, if turned out, had nowhere else to go. He would not give a decree for specific performance, but would award the plaintiff £115, with costs.

THRIFT IN THE FREE STATE.

The total amount invested in Irish Free State Savings Certificates up to the 31st March, 1926, was £1,999,865 (representing 2,580,497 certificates), made up as follows:—

Sales to persons living within the Free State	£1,955,023
Sales to others	44,862
Total	£1,999,885

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BROADCASTING.

TO-DAY.

DUBLIN (2RN)—367 Metres.

7.30—Poetry Recital, Frank Fay. 7.45—Irish Talk, Séamus O Duirinne. 8.0—Station Orchestra. 8.30—Songs and Snatches Seldom Sung, Gerard Crofts: "Lord Randall," "The Funeral" (J. M. Crofts), "There was a Lady in her Father's Garden" (all unpublished). 8.50—The Dublin Singers: Evelyn McElhinney (soprano), Beryl Boothman (contralto), Richard Dawson (tenor), Thompson Dawson (baritone), Ursula Murphy (pianist), "Dearest Maiden" (Brahms), "Down the Rocks," "A Tiny Bird," "By Danube Stream." 9.5—Songs, Dominick Fanning (tenor): "Dublin Bay" (G. A. Barker), "Norah the Pride of Kildare" (J. Parry), "My Sweetheart when a Boy" (Morgan); Piano Solos, Miss Kitty Fyne: Fantaisie, Impromptu (Chopin), Arabesque No. 1 (Debussy), "A Sea Idyll" (F. Bridge); Songs, Mr. T. C. Earls (baritone): "Onaway, awake, Beloved" (Cowen), "Tavern Song" (H. Fisher), "Devonshire Cream and Cider" (Sanderson). 9.30—A Ceilidh, Colm O Lochlainn: A Song, a Story, a S. O Grianna, Piper and a Dancer, S. MacAnaghan and Lillie Comerford. 10.0—The Dublin Singers: Evelyn McElhinney (soprano), Beryl Boothman (contralto), Richard Dawson (tenor), Thompson Dawson (baritone), Ursula Murphy (pianist); "To Music" (Stanford) "Serenade" (Schubert). 10.15—Station Orchestra. 10.30—Weather forecast and close down.

BELFAST (2BE)—440 Metres.

4.0—Topics. 4.15—Radio Trio. 5.15—Children. 6.0—From London. 7.25—From Manchester. 7.40—Mr. J. F. R. Hunter: "Dominion Sketches —Australia—Impressions of the Voyage." 8.0—Music and Mirth. The Station Orchestra. Alfred W. Deale (Songs at the Piano). Nelson Jackson (entertainer). 9.30-12.0—From London.

LONDON (2LO)—365 Metres.

1.0—Time Signal from Greenwich. 4.0—Time Signal from Greenwich. Talk. 4.15—Children. 5.0—Paul Moulder's Rivoli Theatre Orchestra. 5.20—Variety. Nancy Royal (soprano). The Orchestra. John Turner (tenor). Fred Spencer (entertainer). ("Mrs. Arris"). 7.0—Time Signal from Big Ben. Weather Forecast and News. Mr. Keble Chatterton, "Whaling Ships and Men." 7.25—From Manchester. 7.40—Topical Talk. 8.0—E. A. Roberts, the Protean Actor, in "Cruel Coppinger," written and acted entirely by himself. 8.30—"Listening Time" (Revue), 5th Edition. 9.30—Time Signal from Greenwich. Weather Forecast and News. Mr. H. H. Abrahams, "Athletic Training." 10.0—Students' Chorus. The Wireless Chorus and Raymond Newell (baritone). 10.20—"The Ram Runners." A Listening Play written for Broadcasting by Richard Hughes. 10.35—The Savoy Bands. 12.0—Close down.

DAVENTRY (5XX)—1,ono Metres.

1.30 a.m.—Time Signal and Weather Forecast. 1.0—Time Signal from Greenwich. 4.0—London Programme. 7.25—From Manchester. 7.40—London Programme 8.55—Shipping Forecast. 10.0-12.0—London Programme.

BIRMINGHAM (5IT)—475 Metres.

3.45—Dance Music. 4.45—O. T. Elliott, F.R.M.S. (of the Birmingham Natural History and Philosophical Society), "The Nature of Man." Doris Beesley (soprano). 5.15—Children. 6.0—Orchestra and Songs. 7.0—From London. 7.25—From Manchester. 7.40—Lieut. A. E. Spray, R.N.V.R. (Secretary, British Sailors' Society), "Stories of the Sea—(3) The Burning of the Villaroo." 8.0—Variety. 9.30-12.0—From London.

BOURNEMOUTH (6BM)—386 Metres.

3.30-5.0 (approx.) and 8.0—From London. 9.15-10.30—Schumann (1810-1856), the Station Symphony Orchestra; Diana Webster (contralto), Juliette Folville (pianoforte) and Orchestra.

CARDIFF (5WA)—353 Metres.

3.30-5.0 (approx.) and 8.0—From London. 9.15—The Station Symphony Orchestra: Rispah Goodacre (contralto) and Orchestra. 10.45-11.0—The Silent Fellowship.

MANCHESTER (2ZY)—378 Metres.

3.30-5.0 (approx.) and 8.0—From London. 9.0—Weather Forecast and News, Local News. 9.15—the Dancer" (Gilbert); Finale, "Soldiers' Song" (Kearney).

BELFAST (2BE)—440 Metres.

3.30, 5.0, and 8.0—London Programme. 9.10—Shipping Forecast. 9.15—London Programme. 10.45-11.0—From Cardiff.

BIRMINGHAM (5IT)—479 Metres.

5.30-6.0 (approx.)—From London. 8.0—The Bells of the Cathedral, followed by a Religious Service, conducted by Canon Guy Rogers. 9.0—From London. 9.30-10.30—Light Classics, the Station Orchestra; Noah Tarrant (contralto), Adolphe Hallis (solo pianoforte).

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3.30-5.0 (approx.) and 8.0—From London. 9.0—Weather Forecast and News, Local News. 9.15—phonic Cantata for two Sopranos, Tenor, Chorus, 10.40—Mendelssohn's "Hymn of Praise," a symand Orchestra: Gwen Knight (soprano), Clara Chambers (soprano), Arthur Wilkes (tenor), the Station Chorus, the Augmented Station Orchestra.

NEWCASTLE (5NO)—404 Metres.

3.30—Orchestral Concert, the Station Orchestra: Betty Humble (soprano). 4.30-5.0 (approx.)—From London. 5.0—String Quartet in F Major, Op. 19, No. 1 (Beethoven); Allegro con Brio. 8.15—Studio Service; the Station Choral Society Octet; Address by the Rev. C. P. Knyvett. 8.45.—String Quartet in F Major (Beethoven); Adagio Affettuoso ed Appassionato. 9.55-10.45—From London.

LIVERPOOL (6LV)—331 Metres.

3.30-5.0 (approx.) and 8.0-10.45—From London.

GLASGOW (5SC)—422 Metres.

3.30—Orchestral Concert, the Station Symphony Orchestra: E. B. Appleyard (pianoforte) and Orchestra, Isaac Lesowsky (solo violin). 5.15-6.0 (approx.) and 8.0—From London. 8.15—Studio Service, conducted by the Rev. J. McNeil Frazer, B.D., of Langside Parish Church. 9.0—From London. 9.15-10.40—Archibald Armstrong (Peritone), May Mukle ('cello) and Gordon Bryan (pianoforte).

TO-MORROW.

DUBLIN (2RN)—367 Metres.

8.30-10.30 p.m.—Gárda Síochthana Band (conductor, Superintendent D. J. Delaney): 1. March, "Lorraine" (Gunne); 2. Overture, "Festival" (Leutner); 3. Serenade for Flute and Euphonium; 4. Songs, Mr. T. W. Hall (baritone): "An Evening Boat Song" (Schubert), "Honour and Arms" (Handel), "King Charles" (M. V. White); 5, the Band. Selection "Pinafore" (Sullivan); 6. Tone Poem "In the Steppes of Central Asia" (Borodin); 7. Selection, "Mignon" (Thomas); 8. Songs, Mr. T. W. Hall, "Out of the Night" (Lidgey), "Lord God of Abraham" (Elijah) (Mendelssohn), "Idale" (Testi); 9, the Band, Fantasia, "Xalia

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WEDNESDAY NEXT.
CHILDREN'S CLOTHING SOCIETY
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AN OPEN STROKE COMPETITION
Will be played at
HERMITAGE GOLF CLUB
(By kind permission of the Committee),
On WEDNESDAY NEXT, 12th MAY.
Draws will take place from 10.30 a.m.
Entrance fee 5/-.
1st Prize—Silver Cup, value £10 10/-.
2nd Prize—Clock.
Entries will be received on course.

DUBLIN PHILHARMONIC CHORAL SOCIETY.
President—His Excellency the Governor-General.
CONCERT,
In the METROPOLITAN HALL
(LOWER ABBEY STREET),
On SATURDAY, 15th MAY, 1926,
At 8 o'clock.
The Programme will include Choral Items by
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Messrs. Pigott and Co., Grafton street (where plan
of the Hall may be seen and seats reserved); A.
Gill, 15, Nassau street; D. McCulloch, 56
Dawson street; or at the Office of the Society, 16
South Frederick street.

COLERAINE SHOW,
THURSDAY, 10th JUNE, 1926.
REVISED PRIZE SCHEDULE NOW READY.
Entries CLOSE THURSDAY, 27th MAY.
J. F. HUNTER, Hon. Secretary.

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GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

AN ROINN RIALTAIS AITIULA AGUS SLAINTE PUIBLI
(The Department of Local Government and Public Health.)
Notice is hereby given that an Inquiry will be held by Mr. T. F. Strahan, M.R.I.A.I., as Housing Inspector of the Department, on the 12th instant, at 11 o'clock a.m., at the Offices of the Howth Urban District Council, into the administration and general management by the said Urban District Council of certain houses provided by the North Dublin Rural District Council under the Labourers (Ireland) Acts, and subsequently transferred to the said Urban District Council.
All persons interested are invited to attend the Inquiry and give evidence thereat.
By Order,
E. P. McCARRON,
Runaidhe.
Baile Atha Cliath,
7th May, 1926.
60/H.2930 W.H.Co.

ROINN IASCAIGH.
(Department of Fisheries.)
NOTICE TO SALMON EXPORTERS.
COLD STORAGE.
For the benefit of Exporters whose business has been adversely affected by the industrial crisis in Great Britain, the Minister for Fisheries desires it to be known that in response to inquiries made it is understood that suitable cold storage for salmon is available
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The property for sale is situate about seven miles from Ballina, and can be inspected on application to the caretaker.
The Commissioners would be prepared to make an advance, pursuant to the provisions of the Land Act, 1923, of portion of the purchase money, to be repaid by an annuity at the rate and in the manner provided by the said Act.
Conditions of Sale and Forms of Tender may be obtained on application to the Offices of the Irish Land Commission, 24 Upper Merrion street, Dublin, where a Map of the lands can be inspected.
Tenders on the prescribed form should be addressed to The Secretary, Irish Land Commission, and should reach the above address not later than 12 o'clock noon on the 24th day of May, 1926.
60/H.2909.

PUBLIC AMUSEMENTS.

THEATRE ROYAL.
6.45 ..... TWICE NIGHTLY ..... 9.0.
HETTY KING.
NEXT WEEK:—ANOTHER THOS. F. CONVERY COMEDY
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STEVE DONOGHUE in "RIDING FOR A KING."
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ROYAL DUBLIN SOCIETY'S SPRING SHOW AT BALLSBRIDGE,
12th—15th MAY, 1926.
In connection with above, EXCURSION TICKETS will be issued to DUBLIN on TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY, 11th, 12th and 13th MAY, as under:—
From Londonderry, Strabane, Omagh, Dungannon, Cookstown, Bundoran, Ballyshannon, Enniskillen, Clones, Cavan, Belturbet, Monaghan, Coothill, Ballybay, Castleblayney, Carrickmacross, etc.; also from BELFAST, Lisburn, Lurgan, Portadown, Dromore, Banbridge, Castlewellan, Newcastle, Antrim, Armagh, Keady, Newry, Warrenpoint, Dundalk, Ardee, Oldcastle Drogheda, and intermediate stations.
These Tickets will be available for Return up to and including Monday, 17th May.
On WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY, FRIDAY and SATURDAY, 12th—15th inst., EXCURSION TICKETS at SINGLE FARES, available for day of issue only, will be issued from Rawdon, Newry, Clones, Coothill, Ballybay, Castleblayney, Carrickmacross, Dundalk and Drogheda, including Ardee and Oldcastle branch and all intermediate stations up to Donabate.
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7 O'CLOCK
Preacher: Rev. D. H. HALL, Rector of St. Barnabas' Church.
Subject:
"CHRISTIAN CONSCIENCE AND THE HOUSING QUESTION."

MORAVIAN FOREIGN MISSIONS.
A SERMON
On behalf of these Missions will (D.V.) be Preached in the MORAVIAN CHURCH, KEVIN STREET, LOWER,
ON TO-MORROW (SUNDAY), MAY 9th, 1926,
At 11.30 o'clock a.m.,
By the REV. LORENZO TAYLOR,
Formerly a Missionary in Nicaragua.
A Collection will be made at the close of the Service.
These Missions of the Moravian Church are carried on in Africa; Thibet, Labrador, Alaska, California, Surinam, Demerara, Nicaragua and the West Indies.
Donations from those who cannot attend the Service will be thankfully received by the Dublin Treasurer, Sir J. P. Griffith, Rathmines Castle, Rathmines; or by the Minister, the Rev. J. E. Hutton, M.A., 27 Brighton road, Rathgar.

S. MATTHIAS'S CHURCH.
FOUR SUNDAY MORNING SERMONS
On
THE WORLD CALL TO THE CHURCH.
TO-MORROW (SUNDAY), 11.30:
"THE CALL FROM THE FAR EAST."

RATHGAR METHODIST CHURCH,
BRIGHTON ROAD.
11.30 a.m.—Rev. R. LEE COLE, M.A., B.D.
7 o'clock p.m.—Rev. J. A. DUKE, B.A.

ORMOND QUAY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.
CHILDREN'S DAY.
12.0 Noon—Rev. T. J. IRWIN, D.Litt.
7.0 p.m.—Rev. T. BYERS, M.A.

MAGDALEN CHURCH.
11.30—The Meaning of Life: (5) The Christian. 7.—"With what Body do they Come?"
Preacher—Rev. J. P. MONCRIEFF COX, B.D.

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It is hoped that
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PUBLIC NOTICES.

RELIGIOUS SOCIETY OF FRIENDS.
YEARLY MEETING, 1926.
MEETINGS OPEN TO THE PUBLIC
TO-MORROW (SUNDAY),
9th MAY.
MEETINGS FOR WORSHIP.
6 Eustace street, Dublin..... 11 a.m.
Pakenham road, Monkstown..... 11 a.m. & 5 p.m.
Quinsboro' road, Bray ..... 11.30 a.m.
Churchfield, Dundrum ..... 11 a.m.
85a Rathmines road ..... 11 a.m. & 7 p.m.
MONDAY, 10th May, at 7 p.m.
ADDRESSES ON INTERNATIONAL SERVICE OF FRIENDS.
ROBERT J. and F. PEARL DAVIDSON, China.
EDITH M. PYE, Vienna.

SIR PATRICK DUN'S HOSPITAL.
A GENERAL MEETING
Will be Held in the Hospital,
On TUESDAY AFTERNOON, 11th MAY,
The chair will be taken at 4.30 o'clock by His Excellency The Governor-General.
Speakers:—Lord Glenavy, the President Royal College of Surgeons, the President of the Chamber of Commerce, Major Bryan Cooper, D.L.
Tea at 4 p.m., to which all Friends of the Hospital are cordially invited.

A LECTURE
ON
CHRISTIAN SCIENCE
WILL BE GIVEN AT
35 MOLESWORTH STREET,
Under the auspices of First Church of Christ, Scientist, Dublin,
On THURSDAY EVENING, 13th MAY, 1926,
At 8 o'clock,
BY
Miss MARGARET MURNEY GLENN, C.S.B.
(Of Boston, Massachusetts, U.S.A.),
Member of the Board of Lectureship of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, Boston, Mass.
DOORS OPEN AT 7.30 P.M.
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Further particulars and forms of application may be obtained on a request in writing addressed to The Secretary, Civil Service Commission, 35 St. Stephen's Green, Dublin.
Completed forms of application will be received up to but not after the first post on 28th May, 1926.
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The Irish Times.

SATURDAY, MAY 8, 1926.

NEWS SUMMARY.

IRELAND.

We print to-day excerpts from the Dail Accounts Committee's report on the claims arising out of certain purchases of arms and chemicals for the Free State Army.—(Page 11.)

The debate on the Army vote was continued in the Dail yesterday, and all amendments to reduce the amount of the estimate were defeated.—(Page 8.)

A considerable consignment of mails from various parts of England was brought to Belfast yesterday morning by a destroyer from Liverpool.—(Page 7.)

GREAT BRITAIN.

There is no material change in the strike situation. The Government announces that it intends to deal firmly with any intimidation.—(Page 7.)

SPORTING.

At Leopardstown yesterday Kildarra Boy won the Shankill Hurdle Race, Tag End the Stillorgan T.Y.O. Plate, Dunlavin Lass the Spring Plate, Minerva the Pavilion Plate, East Galway the Newtown Plate, and Dux Americanus the Tower Plate.—(Page 10.)

FINANCIAL.

London Stock Markets were steady, and the tone was confident. Except in one or two directions, however, prices were somewhat easier.—(Page 12.)

Conditions in Lombard street were quite normal, and short loans went on at 4½ down to 3½ per cent. Discounts were firmer on the higher Treasury bill rate. The New York exchange improved.—(Page 12.)

Dublin Market was steady, with prices moving irregularly. Bank Stock lost a point. Land Bonds improved.—(Page 12.)

The Happy Warrior.

In his hours of wealth and ease the Englishman is not always a lovable character. He is bluff of speech and does not readily accommodate himself to other people's circumstances; as a traveller in foreign parts he is more popular, indeed, than the American, but less popular than the Irishman. It is in adversity, stolidly endured for the sake of some national ideal, that the Englishman shines. Adversity of this sort makes him a dauntless soldier in the field and the most formidable, because the best-tempered, of all defenders of civic liberty. To-day for the second time in ten years England, who least of all nations angles for the world's applause, is getting a full measure of it. The Great Strike has summoned once more to the surface those high qualities of head and heart which the Great War had evoked on a still larger stage. By the judgment of poetry and history moral balance in times of great crisis is the finest of national virtues. Horace called it *æquam mentem rebus in arduis*, and Englishmen, more than any people since the Romans themselves, possess this virtue of equanimity. It consists in the steady and undustered maintenance of the hundred and one common virtues of daily life in moments when the practice of even the meanest of those virtues is an act of heroism. At present, in an emergency which already might have plunged other States into chaos, the English people are "carrying on" with the unconscious grandeur of Wordsworth's happy warrior, who

> "through the heat of conflict keeps the law
> In calmness made and sees what he foresaw,
> Or, if an unexpected call succeed,
> Come when it will, is equal to the need."

Organised Labour's blow has taken the shape of a simultaneous attack from many directions upon the intensely complicated machinery of the national life. The Government by its own efforts could not have averted, and could not have survived, this blow. It is the people who, by their quiet and matter-of-fact refusal to be stampeded, are saving the vital interests for which the Government stands. They are countering the strike measures with the astonishing versatility which they showed in the Great War, and, where hardship is inevitable, they are enduring it with a patience and good humour for which the only precedents are in their own history. The disorders which have been reported during the last two days cannot be ignored, but they serve to lift into higher contrast the imperturbable good temper and good sense of the nation as a whole. In what other country would thousands of volunteers have presented themselves from the first moment, with such little fuss and such prompt efficiency, for the manning of essential services? What other people would have resisted the instinct of panic which responds so swiftly to the lack of news? In what other city than London would countless workers make a joke of a ten-mile walk twice a day between their homes and their desks?

The average Irishman—indeed, we think the average Englishman—has no very clear notion of the merits of the miners' dispute. It is such a technical business that he finds himself in a somewhat similar position to that *Feis Ceoil* adjudicator who yesterday heard candidates sing in Irish to the Irish harp, making his first acquaintance with the Irish harp and having no knowledge of the Irish language. There are first principles in art, however, which enabled Professor Granville Bantock to reach a just decision, and there are first principles in politics. So long as the miners' claims were a question of argument the English people were impartial watchers of the dispute; and they will be impartial again from the moment when the issue is brought back to terms of argument. A challenge to the very existence of the State is another matter; and it is the challenge of the Trade Union Congress, not the case for the coal-owners or the merits of the Government itself, that has surrounded the fortress of the State with a vast and living barrier of citizenship. The national instinct was quick to see that not merely the Government, but government itself—all the time-honoured institutions, all the age-long security, all the right to prosper by work of hand and brain, all the freedom that has broadened slowly down from precedent to precedent—stood in dire menace from organised Labour's attempt to subdue the nation to its will. For these rights Englishmen are as ready to-day to make every sacrifice as they were when the same rights were threatened in a different fashion, formerly by France and again by Germany. Again, too, they are making their sacrifice in the simple unquestioning way of men

> "whose master-bias leans
> To homefelt pleasures and to gentle scenes."

The present crisis finds England singularly fortunate in her Prime Minister. Mr. Baldwin may not be a great statesman in the dramatic sense; no doubt, he lacks that indefinable touch of genius which has given the halo of history to Pitt, Disraeli and Gladstone. None of his predecessors, however, has a surer conception of his country's genius, a profounder faith in her destinies, a better knowledge of her people's needs and wishes. The temper which inspires England to-day is revealed in every page of his latest book, although that book has no concern with politics. England knows that Mr. Baldwin has made, and will make, every effort for industrial peace; but she knows also that, so long as the fight continues, her cause will be safe in his hands, and she knows how, under his leadership, the fight will end.

The Feis Ceoil.

The Dublin *Feis Ceoil*, which comes to an end to-day, has achieved a remarkable success. Not only were the entries this year larger than ever they were previously, but a very high standard of musical merit was reached in nearly all the competitions. The *Feis Ceoil* is one of the few institutions in this country that have weathered every storm in recent years, and have gone from triumph to triumph in spite of all the distractions and upheavals of the difficult times through which our island has passed. It has set an admirable example to the rest of Ireland, with the result that the progress of musical art has made tremendous strides in places like Sligo and Londonderry, where the annual *Feisconna* attract steadily growing numbers of young musicians. A glance through the programme of this year's Dublin competitions shows that the tests were chosen with much care, and their wide variety constitutes a splendid tribute to the work of those devoted men and women who have done so much to advance the cause of music in Ireland since the *Feis Ceoil* was established more than twenty years ago. The adjudicators were the best of their kind that could be obtained. The enormous pains which they took in their work made an excellent impression on everybody who attended the competitions, and the addresses delivered by Professor Granville Bantock, one of England's most distinguished musicians, are likely to be of very great benefit to students of singing in this country. Since the *Feis Ceoil* began music has been seriously in Ireland. The intense, but friendly, rivalry between the earnest amateurs who enter for the competitions has encouraged intelligent study of the greatest works; and the days of the young lady whose solitary "piece" was "The Maiden's Prayer" have gone, we are glad to say, for ever.

Curiously enough, while in many ways Dublin is, probably, the most keenly musical city in the British Isles, it has neither an orchestra nor a concert hall. There is no lack of first-class musical talent. Every year's *Feis Ceoil* reveals a wealth of fine performers, instrumental as well as vocal; but the city as a whole seems content to lag behind towns with half its resources in England and Scotland. What happens to all the young artists whom one hears with such delight at the *Feis Ceoil*? The winning of a gold medal in one of the major competitions ought to be the beginning of a musical career, whereas in all too many cases we fear that it proves to be the end. The public flocks to good concerts. During the admirable season which is provided by the Royal Dublin Society a seat is almost impossible to procure, and when an opera company comes to the Gaiety Theatre it plays every night to a packed house. The Army Band has proved that the "heaviest" Wagnerian fare can be appreciated by the man in the street or in the park. Yet, despite repeated efforts to form a municipal orchestra, virtually no progress has been made. Of course, good music cannot be provided for nothing. The city that wants a first-class orchestra must be prepared to pay for it. Musicians, like ordinary mortals, have wives and families to maintain, and the myth of the long-haired youth playing masterpieces in a garret has been exploded long ago. It is high time that Dublin should have its orchestra, and that it should take its rightful place among the musical cities of Europe. The country must make it worth while for its artists to remain within its shores. Everybody at present wants to call the tune; but very few are prepared to pay the piper.

War in Morocco.

Hostilities have been resumed in Morocco. Yesterday it was announced that peace negotiations between the French and Spanish allies on the one hand, and the Riff rebels on the other, had broken down, and the tidings that a new attack had been launched against Abdel Krim's tribesmen followed swiftly. Peace was offered by the European allies upon terms which proposed that the sovereignty of the Sultan should be recognised by the rebels, that Abdel Krim should go into exile, and that the tribes should be disarmed. If these conditions were accepted the autonomy of the Riff territory would be admitted. The tribesmen were not satisfied with the limited freedom thus tendered. They demanded an independent Morocco. They were quite unwilling to exile their leader, and would not agree to disarmament except in circumstances which would render it a matter of no importance. The two positions thus were irreconcilable, and, rather than yield to the demands of the Allies, the tribesman invoked once more the arbitrament of war. A desperate or fanatical confidence appears to animate men who thus challenge two great Powers to a trial of strength and will; but it may be that Abdel Krim's intransigeance is based upon a shrewd estimate of the international position. It may be that the general strike in Britain now has influenced his action. The trouble on one side of the British Channel has precipitated fresh difficulties on the other; and the headlong fall of the franc has weakened the military party in France in the prosecution of an unpopular struggle. A peace settlement which spared the Riffs the humiliation of their leader's exile might have been reached this week; and, if France's financial position should grow more intensely uncomfortable, Spain yet might find her ally ready to shorten the war by giving the stubborn tribesmen more than was offered and rejected.

Animal Week.

Before the general strike scattered confusion on the plans of men lovers of animals had arranged to hold demonstrations, beginning to-morrow, on the same lines as those of "animal week" last year. Throughout Great Britain and Ireland clergy were asked to speak to the congregations upon the theme of Christian men's duty of mercy towards the brute creation, and an appeal was made to teachers to address their pupils upon the same subject. It was proposed to hold flag-days in order to raise funds—which in Ireland would be distributed among the various societies interested in animal welfare—and to carry out a vigorous campaign of propaganda intended to arouse public opinion. These plans will be pursued as far as circumstances permit. It is fitting that, in the midst of distress and anxiety, men and women should spare a thought for the lower creation, whose lot is so often one of suffering. We hope, therefore, that persons who realise how sorely reform is needed in the treatment of animals in our country—whether upon the highway and on the farm, where thoughtlessness causes so much unnecessary pain, or on the fair green and in the railway wagon and cattle ship, where brutal methods still sometimes linger—will do what in them lies to make "animal week" a success.

COURT AND PERSONAL.

Colonel the Right Hon. Walter Guinness, Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries, had an audience with the King at Buckingham Palace yesterday, and His Majesty also received Sir Claude Hamilton Archer Hill, who has just been appointed Lieutenant-Governor of the Isle of Man, in succession to Major-General Sir William Fry, K.C.V.O. Sir Frank Heath, Secretary of the Department of Scientific and Industrial Research, was received by the King yesterday.

Intercession Services will be held daily in Westminster Abbey during the national crisis, at the hours of 12.30 and 3.40 p.m.

The Marquis and Marchioness of Northampton have left Compton Wynyates, Warwickshire, for London, where they have taken a house in Seamore place, S.W., for two months. Later in the summer they will spend some time at Loch Luichart Lodge, in Ross-shire, where they have good shooting and fishing.

Many members were expected at the Royal Yacht Squadron this week, but, owing to the strike, very few found their way to Cowes, where many yachts are now in commission, and are awaiting the arrival of their owners.

Among numerous postponements necessitated by the strike are the dinner and reception arranged for next Tuesday night by the Gloucestershire Society in London. This annual reunion is very popular, and invariably attracts a very large gathering. The dinner connected with the Newspaper Press Fund was also fixed for Tuesday evening, and has now been postponed.

The Marchioness of Headfort and Lady Millicent Taylour were the guests of Lady Weldon at Kilmorony, Athy, for Punchestown Races. Captain and Lady Dorothée Moore were included in Sir Henry and Lady Greer's party at Curragh Grange. Lord Osborne Beauclerk returned to Newtown Anner on Thursday from Dublin.

Lord Dunalley, who has just returned from London, is now at Nenagh, and has been inspecting the nearly completed building of Kilboy, his residence in Co. Tipperary, which was burned down in 1922. It is expected that Lord and Lady Dunalley will shortly be able to occupy their old home, which has been in the possession of the family for many generations.

Viscount Cecil of Chelwood is leaving London to-day for Geneva to attend an important meeting for the reconsideration of the composition of the League of Nations Council.

The engagement is announced, and the marriage will take place quietly in June, of Christopher E. Callan, Solicitor, Fryar's Park, Boyle, Co. Roscommon, and Mollie Dillon Leetch, Barrister-at-Law, second daughter of the late Thomas Dillon-Leetch and of Mrs. Dillon-Leetch, Ballyhaunis, Co. Mayo.

The marriage arranged between Percy A. Walker, only son of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Walker, of 94 South Circular road, Kilmainham, Dublin, and Katharine, younger daughter of Consul-General Edward L. Adams (retired) and Mrs. Adams, of Elmira, New York, will take place in June next.

A marriage has been arranged, and will take place at Rangoon in July, between Frank Buckney, Imperial Customs Service, and Violet Eileen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Beamish Morrison, of Arkendale road, Kingstown.

The classic tailor suit so much worn at present by the smart Parisienne has again returned to favour. There are many attractive ones, selected during Mrs. Switzer's second visit to Paris this Spring, now showing at 88 Grafton street.

Elizabeth Arden, Venetian Beauty Preparations. Sole agents, Forrest and Sons, Ltd., Grafton street.

Fancy Floral Crêpe-de-Chine and Georgette Frocks, Jumper Suits, Easy to Wear Frocks. Style, materials and colours of the newest.—W. Holmes, Dublin, Ltd., 69, 70, 71 South Great George's street.

Last day of Great End of Spring Sale at McBirney's.

Exquisite Bouquets, Wreaths, Crosses, Floral Designs, choicest flowers, shortest notice, lowest prices.—Ramsay's, 50 Nassau street.

Spring time is Cleaning Time. Carpets Shaken and Re-laid. Curtains Cleaned, Mattresses Re-made.—Millar and Beatty, Ltd.

Anderson Stanford and Ridgeway, Grafton street, are Manufacturing House Furnishers.

Motor Overhauls and Repairs. Try Wilkinson's, Ltd., 16 Lord Edward street, Dublin.

Diamond Platinum set Rings. Exceptional value. John Morton, 48 and 49 Nassau street.

Costumes, Coats, Two-piece Suits, in New Models and Materials for smart Spring wear. Mumford, 18 Suffolk street, Dublin.

"Our Boys," the noted Youths' and Juvenile Outfitters, are now showing genuine value in reliable goods and a great selection. 24 Wicklow street.

Come to 17 South Anne street for rarest Embroideries, foreign and Irish. Most moderate prices.

Radio Superb—The Marconi Straight 8. Free demonstration.—"Hogan for Wireless," The Radio House, 56 Henry street, Dublin.

Furs. Furs. Furs. An opportunity for Ladies to exchange their Old Furs as part payment for New Fur Coats, Stoles, Chokers, etc. Furs stored during summer months free. David Vard, 24 Grafton street (first floor), and at 16 Duke street, Dublin. Call or write. Manager visits country for repairs, remodellings, etc.

To Ladies.—Ladies' Department for Medical Appliances of all kinds.—Fannin and Co., 41 Grafton st. Mourning Orders receive prompt attention. 'Phone 4905.—Davis and Co., 45 Grafton street.

TO-DAY'S ENGAGEMENTS.

Gaiety Theatre—"So This Is London," 2.30 and 7.45 p.m.
Theatre Royal—Varieties, 6.45 and 9 p.m.
Olympia Theatre—"Scotch Broth," 7 and 9 p.m.
Tivoli Theatre—"Coloured Lights," 7 and 9 p.m.
Abbey Theatre—"The Plough and the Stars," 2.30 and 8 p.m.
La Scala Theatre—"Madame Sans Gene," 3.5, 5.35, and 8.5 p.m.
Metropole Cinema—"The Man On The Box," 2.15, 4.30, 6.45, and 9 p.m.
Grand Central Cinema—"The Best Bad Man."
Pavilion Cinema, Dun Laoghaire—"The Eagle," 3.30 to 10.15 p.m.
R.H.A. Exhibition—Metropolitan School of Art, Kildare street, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.
Nurses' Union—Mansion House.
Feis Prize-Winners' Concert, Theatre Royal, 2 p.m.

The Chamber of Commerce examinations arranged to be held next week throughout the country have been postponed.

LONDON LETTER.

PARLIAMENT AND THE STRIKE.

59 FLEET STREET, LONDON,
FRIDAY NIGHT.

The House of Commons was one of the quietest places in the country to-day; for comparatively few members were present, and the galle

ALL INTIMIDATION TO BE REPRESSED.

GOVERNMENT'S ORDER.

ATTEMPTS TO HOLD-UP THE SUPPLIES OF FOOD.

50,000 "SPECIALS" IN LONDON.

OVER 2,000 TRAINS RUNNING: BETTER 'BUS SERVICES.

No negotiations. No serious disorders, but situation becoming intense. Orders sent by labour leaders to paralyse the supply of food and necessities of life.

Official Statement on the Situation.

The following official statement on the situation is issued by the British Government:—

No serious disorder has occurred in any part of the country.

The work of feeding the people, and of maintaining light and power and essential communications is being successfully accomplished.

Over 2,000 trains were run on Thursday, or nearly double the day before. A further substantial improvement, both on the main lines and in the London metropolitan and suburban services, is arranged for to-day.

The protection of 'buses in London proved yesterday most satisfactory, and they are constantly increasing in numbers. Nevertheless, as was to be expected, the situation is becoming more intense, and the climax is not yet reached.

Orders have been sent by the leaders of the railway and transport trade unions to do their utmost to paralyse and break-down the supply of food and the necessaries of life. Intimidation, both by disorderly crowds and picketing, has occurred in many places, and may soon occur in many more. His Majesty's Government have directed all authorities to repress and overcome these criminal obstructions.

The recruitment of special constables in all parts of the country is being vigorously and rapidly pressed forward.

It is proposed to raise the numbers of special constables in London as quickly as possible to 50,000. Other important measures to increase the forces at the disposal of the Government, and to enable widespread protection to be afforded, are also being taken.

An organised attempt is being made to starve the people and to wreck the State, and the legal and constitutional aspects are entering upon a new phase.

The newspaper services are steadily improving.

No Negotiations: Labour Leaders' Statement.

The General Council of the Trades Union Congress states that no official or unofficial overtures have been made to the Government. "The General Council," it is added, "have had no direct or indirect communication with the Government since they sent their emphatic letter of protest against the Cabinet's wanton action in wrecking the peace discussions that were proceeding. The position of the General Council may be stated in simple and unequivocal terms. They are ready at any moment to enter into preliminary discussions regarding the withdrawal of the lock-out notices and the ending of the general stoppage, and the resumption of negotiations for an honourable settlement of the mining dispute. These preliminary discussions must be free from any condition."

5 per cent. General Levy for Strike Fund.

All workers who are still employed are being called upon to contribute 5 per cent. of their wages to the strike fund.

Offer to Maintain Power and Food Supplies.

Mr. Poulton, the Labour Publicity Chairman, last night said that the Government had been offered the services of unions for maintaining food supplies, and that offer was still open.

The local strike organisations have been authorised to meet employers immediately and to offer to supply electricity and gas for various services, including street, shop and house lighting, and power for bakeries, laundries and domestic purposes. The reports that instructions had been sent to cut off gas supplies, it is declared, are entirely unauthorised.

FOOD SUPPLIES ATTACKED.

SERIOUS VIEW TAKEN BY GOVERNMENT.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

LONDON, Friday.

I understand to-night that the Government is taking a very serious view of the attacks reported from different parts of the country upon food supplies, and inclines to the opinion that further steps than those already taken may be necessary.

Any great disorganisation of the food supplies will certainly result in trouble, and this the Government will be prepared to meet, but it proposes to avert the possibility if it can be done. In view of the fact that there may be great gatherings of people during the week-end, shopkeepers in the East End are barricading their shops in order to protect their property from accident.

The situation, it is to be feared, is entering upon a new and dangerous phase.

LONDON THEATRES.

MANY WILL STILL CARRY ON.

Londoners are reaching the theatres in considerable numbers, but not sufficiently large to prevent heavy loss to those that remain open. While the losses are not greater than expenses theatres will continue to "carry on."

TOURNAMENT POSTPONED.

The Army and Navy tournament at Olympia has been postponed from May 20th to July 8th.

POWER SUPPLIES.

Lott's road power station, by which the greater part of the London Underground service is operated, is staffed by volunteers, and is now able to respond to all demands made upon it for current.

The employés at the Fulham Electricity Works went out without notice yesterday afternoon, and shut down the whole plant before they could be prevented from doing so. By the prompt action of the staff full supplies were in operation within one hour of the shut down.

The St. Pancras dustmen, who have been on an unauthorised strike for two days, returned to work yesterday morning.

TRAMS RESUMING.

An increased number of trams, operated by volunteers, were running in several parts of London yesterday, and further services will be reopened to-day.

The Underground Railways and the London General Omnibus Companies have provided hostels for over 6,000 volunteers.

Pitchers—men who unload meat at Smithfield market—returned to work yesterday afternoon.

Arrival of the Mail Boat at Kingstown last night.

MORE INCIDENTS

BATON CHARGES AT CARDIFF AND HULL.

WOMEN INJURED.

A NUMBER of minor disturbances occurred yesterday in various districts, the most serious being at Hull and Cardiff, where the police made baton charges to restore order.

Disturbances appear to be sporadic, and due to the less responsible section of the community, says an official statement last night. In some cases the police have received assistance in the maintenance of order from trade union leaders.

TROOPS UNLOAD SHIPS.

Police made a baton charge upon strikers in the City square at Hull yesterday afternoon. Pickets were hostile towards the volunteers recruiting at the City Hall, and mounted police arrived to disperse the crowd, which numbered between three and four thousand. Batons were drawn, and in the charge seven persons were injured and treated at the infirmary. Police reinforcements cleared the square. One or two arrests were made. Naval men were landed to protect the volunteers discharging the food ships, and soldiers were sent to King George Dock for the unloading of other vessels.

WOMAN INJURED.

Failing to suppress the strikers, who were interfering with the volunteer driver of a motor 'bus at Cardiff, the police were ordered to draw their batons and charge. Some women were trampled on in the stampede, and one woman had to be surgically attended. One arrest was made.

PARIS.—The Executive of the General Confederation of Labour has approved of the measures taken to prevent all exports to England calculated to prolong the resistance of the forces ranged against the strikers. Arrangements were also made for forwarding financial assistance.

BERLIN.—The General Federation of Trade Unions decided to give financial support to the British strikers by means of voluntary contributions.

Glasgow.—The position yesterday was comparatively quiet, and more buses and trams were running. Sixty-six young men, who were arrested in connection with the disturbances at the tram depôt, were brought before the magistrates and remanded.

Chesterfield.—Three men were sentenced to imprisonment, with hard labour, for window-smashing. The men stated that they wanted to be sent to prison until the strike ended.

Leeds.—Attempts to stop the trams have been frustrated by baton charges by the police. Eleven persons were brought before the magistrate, one being sentenced to three months' imprisonment, with hard labour.

Sheffield.—Tramway pickets made several attempts to stop cars-a-banc and other vehicles. A passenger was struck on the head by a bottle.

Hull.—Strike disturbances occurred in the city square yesterday, and the police were obliged to make a baton charge. Several people were injured, and seven cases were treated at the infirmary.

Bristol.—Disturbances and attempts at intimidation are few, and the opposition of strike pickets to food lorries is decreasing. A destroyer has arrived in the port.

Poole.—An incident occurred at Poole when the driver was pulled off a tramcar. He was protected by the police and continued driving.

THE ARMY AND THE STRIKE.

RUMOURS OFFICIALLY DENIED

The following message was broadcast last night by the War Office:—"Rumours continue to be circulated to the effect that, firstly, the Army has come to the end of its resources; secondly, that the Army Reserve has been called up; thirdly, that troops have been ordered on strike duty, but have refused to obey the order.

"We are requested by the War Office to notify, for general information, that, with the exception of guards for a few vulnerable points in Great Britain, no troops have yet been called up in aid of the civil power, but, as previously stated, certain units have been moved to districts to be available if their services are required. The spirit of the troops is excellent. The Army Reserve has not been called up."

SAILORS' AND FIREMEN'S UNION.

ANOTHER INJUNCTION.

On the application of counsel, Mr. Justice Lawrence, in the Chancery Division, London, yesterday, granted an interim injunction, until Tuesday, restraining officials of the Mersey area and the Liverpool branches of the National Sailors' and Firemen's Union, affiliated to the Trades Union Congress, from calling upon members to leave their employment without the authority of the Executive. As in the Tower Hill Branch case, on Thursday, counsel pointed out that no strike could be proclaimed without the consent of a two-thirds majority, obtained by ballot, and he added that the ballot was now in progress. An affidavit in support of the injunction, by Mr. Havelock Wilson, was read.

SHIPPING NEWS.

Liverpool.—Crews of liners signing on and the dockers complain that they were called out without a ballot being taken. Ten vessels arrived and ten left. The loading and unloading of foodstuffs is proceeding smoothly.

Southampton.—Five liners arrived at, and a similar number sailed from, Southampton yesterday. Two thousand passengers were cleared at the port.

Fleetwood.—Steamship services between Fleetwood and Belfast resumed. Fishing steamers are being coaled and returning to sea.

FIRST MAIL BOAT.

OVER 500 BAGS OF LETTERS REACH KINGSTOWN.

A HITCH.

ONLY PASSENGERS CARRIED THIS MORNING.

THE Hibernia, the first mail boat to reach Kingstown since Monday night, arrived at the pierhead at 10.27 p.m. last night with:—

549 Bags of letters (100 per cent. over the usual number) and

78 Bags of parcels.

The 192 passengers on board left London yesterday morning at 9.30 o'clock.

The dockers at the pier, who are members of the National Union of Railwaymen, refused to tie up the boat, and the task was performed by a number of persons who were on the pier. They also ran the gangways aboard without much delay.

A train sent to the Carlisle Pier to meet the boat and take the passengers and mails to Dublin was withdrawn from the pier about three-quarters of an hour before the boat arrived, and consequently no mails were unloaded from the vessel last night. They remained locked up in the mail hold until to-day, when they will probably be taken to Dublin by motor and delivered on Monday morning.

The mails for England, which were to have been taken by the R.M.S. Scotia, which was due to sail from Kingstown at 6 a.m. this morning, it was officially announced last night, will not be shipped owing to the action of the railwaymen and the dockers.

Only passengers will be carried. About two hundred first-class passengers and sixty third-class passengers slept aboard the boat last night.

NOT TO EXTEND.

In an interview with an *Irish Times* representative last night on the pier at Kingstown, Mr. Waters, Secretary of the Dublin Branch of the National Union of Railwaymen, stated that their object in taking this action was to localise the effect as regards the strike to Kingstown. He believed that the strike would not extend to the rest of Ireland.

WHY MAILS WERE NOT HANDLED.

STATEMENT BY LOCAL MANGER OF THE L.M.S.R.

In an interview with an *Irish Times* representative, last night, aboard the R.M.S. Hibernia, Mr. McDowell, the general manager of the London, Midland and Scottish Railway Company in Dublin, stated:—

"At about 11 o'clock this morning, Mr. Waters, the Secretary of the Irish Branch of the National Union of Railwaymen, Dublin, informed me officially that he was astounded to learn that the L.M.S. Company had reinstated their mail service. I informed him in turn that this company was simply resuming the services as usual; that is carrying mails and passenger only and nothing else.

"He notified me that he considered that the service should be withdrawn, or otherwise he would be forced to consider the question of withdrawing the labour at Kingstown Pier.

"Mr. Waters was then asked to let the L.M.S. Company know as soon as possible what the decision of his Union would be; but it was only at 10 p.m. that he notified me over the telephone that the men at the Pier would not work.

"Having regard to the issues involved, if the decision arrived at by the Union had been communicated to the L.M.S. Company earlier in the evening, they would have got sufficient notice to get things right in an endeavour to assist the passengers, who were unaware of the position of things on this side of the Channel, and some of whom were strangers at Kingstown.

"The result has been that many passengers have suffered great inconvenience, some of them having to remain on board the ship, others having to carry their heavy luggage through the streets to Kingstown Station, and of finding the best means they could of reaching their destination, or of finding accommodation in Kingstown."

"NO ILL-FEELING."

The dockers made no attempt to interfere while volunteers assisted in docking the boat. After most of the passengers had left the pier the men congregated outside the Customs offices, and Mr. McDowell, manager of the L.M.S. Company, Dublin, asked them to leave the pier, and said that he hoped that there was no ill-feeling. They all replied unanimously that there was not. Mr. McDowell then said "good-night" to the men, who left the pier.

Amongst those who slept aboard the R.M.S. Scotia last night were Monsieur Paravicini, the Swiss Minister in London, and Madame Paravicini, Lady Pilkington, the Hon. Mrs. Lawrence Broderick, Hon. Mrs. Clease, and Lady Keye.

ARRIVAL AT WESTLAND ROW.

Between eighty and one hundred passengers off the mail boat arrived in Westland Row Station, Dublin, last night, by two ordinary trains, which arrived at 11.20 and 11.45 p.m. There was a noticeable absence of any heavy luggage accompanying the travellers.

Describing their journey from London to Holyhead, several passengers said that it was fairly good running until they got into Anglesea, where the train had to be stopped at several level crossings, and the engine driver had to get out and open the gates, and

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IRISH MARKET SLUMP.

CHEAPER EGGS, PORK, BUTTER AND FISH.

FARMERS HIT.

PRICES of food-stuffs have slumped heavily both in the Free State and Northern Ireland, owing to the fact that buyers for the British markets have been unable to obtain transport facilities. The products principally affected have been pork, eggs, butter and fish. Eggs have been sold in some markets as low as 4d. per dozen, and are being retailed in Belfast at 8d. and 10d. per dozen. Butter has also fallen in price—it was quoted in Dublin yesterday at 157s. for the choicest salt, against 161s. last week. Irish salmon is cheaper, and was sold in the Belfast market yesterday at 1s. 6d. and 1s. 10d. per lb.

The following reports were received yesterday from our correspondents:—

Boyle.—The fair was only attended by three dealers—Messrs. Finlay (Cavan), Donnelly (Dublin) and Healy (Sligo). Only 47 pigs were railed from Boyle Station. Porkers, which were in poor demand, made 100s. per cwt. on an average; store pigs sold at from £5 to £6 10s. each, and bonhams £7 to £8 a pair. Exporters of eggs and fresh water fish at Boyle have ceased purchasing as a result of the strike, and prices have fallen to what would be considered an unusual level a week ago. In rural districts eggs can be bought at 4d. per dozen.

Gorey.—Pigs at Gorey, Co. Wexford, on Friday, fetched 76s. per cwt., live weight, a fall of 5s. per cwt. in a week.

Athlone.—Pigs, live weight, sold at Moate yesterday at 74s., a drop of 3s. on last week.

Tipperary.—At the fat pig market quotation were 73s. per cwt., live weight, a fall of 7s. per cwt. from last week.

Birr.—The strike had a serious all-round effect on the Roscrea Market on Thursday. Figs fell to 70s., a decrease of 10s. from last week's price. Eggs fell to 6d. per dozen and butter to 1s. 5d. per lb.

Clonmel.—There was no business for export, but a good business for local interests. Although export of salmon has been stopped, and many tons put into cold storage, the price has only dropped from 3s. to 2s. 6d., but fishermen are getting only about 1s. per lb.

Monaghan.—At the Pork Market yesterday 120 per cwt. was paid for pork. There were only 12 pigs in the market, farmers failing to bring in the pork in consequence of the strike.

Waterford.—There is a glut of fish, and salmon for the past two days was offered as low as tenpence per lb., and one local dealer exhibited a notice—"Guaranteed fish; no reasonable offer refused." Eggs—Prices have dropped rapidly, as big quantities were ready for shipment when the strike occurred, and butter has fallen from 2s. to 1s. 5d. per lb.

Cork.—Two trawlers from Daunt's Rock fishing grounds disposed of herrings and mackerel to dealers at 4d. and 6d. a dozen. The Tartar arrived about 8 o'clock with about a ton of fish, and for some time there was a brisk sale for herrings and mackerel. At 10 a.m. the Ben Mychree arrived at the same quay with another ton of fish, and prices dropped, herrings to 4d. and mackerel to 6d. a dozen. A fisherman stated that, owing to supplies of salt from England being held up the usual market with the curers at Kinsale was closed.

NOTICE TO ARMED FORCES.

The British Government made the following announcement yesterday:—

All ranks of the armed forces of the Crown are hereby informed that any action that they find it necessary to take in an honest endeavour to aid the civil power will receive, both now and afterwards, the full support of His Majesty's Government.

IN THE PROVINCES.

MIDLANDS AND THE NORTH.

Grimsby.—It is hoped to run passenger and fish trains to-day.

Manchester.—No work on the shipping canal yesterday, except removal of foodstuffs. Permits granted by the Trades Union Congress Council for removal of food were withdrawn last night.

Hull.—A vessel with a cargo of flour was unloaded yesterday by volunteers.

Preston.—Several cotton mills closed down.

Chester.—Trams manned by volunteers running.

Liverpool.—All men are back at work at the electricity power stations. All quiet in the city. Tramway service has never been stopped, and is now running over three hundred cars. Eighteen hundred and sixty men are working on cars, in sheds, and at works. Neither volunteers nor inspecting staff required.

Lancaster.—Corporation tramway men and busmen yesterday decided to return to work.

Alfreton.—Some buses are again running between Alfreton and Mansfield, with policemen sitting beside the drivers.

Birmingham.—A few more trains were running from Birmingham, but the trams and bus services are still cut off.

Wolverhampton.—Quiet yesterday. More men called out in engineering section of the motor industry.

Sheffield.—A further batch of compositors returned to work yesterday afternoon at the offices of the "Sheffield Daily Telegraph" and the "Yorkshire Telegraph and Star."

Bradford.—Proprietors of one Bradford evening paper have intimated that, consequent on the letter from the Typographical Association to the members, threatening the expulsion of members who remain at work, the paper will recruit an entirely new staff unless the employés return to work on Monday.

SOUTH AND WEST.

Southampton.—Most of the printers are at work. The trams and buses are giving a better service.

Bristol.—All essential services are being maintained. Many printers are returning to work in Bristol on the ground that the Executive has not acted in accordance with the rules.

MAILS BY DESTROYER TO BELFAST.

MORE WORK IN DUBLIN DOCKS.

JACOB'S FACTORY ON SHORT TIME: DERRY BADLY HIT.

DRASTIC COAL-RATIONING SCHEME ENFORCED IN THE NORTH.

THE arrival of a number of steamers in the Liffey yesterday gave employment to many dockers and carters who had been idle during the earlier days of the week. An outgoing steamer brought away large supplies of cattle, sheep and eggs.

Owing to their inability to export their manufactures, Messrs. Jacob have been obliged to put their 2,800 employés on "short time," but they announce that there is little fear of any of their workers being thrown out of employment owing to a continuance of the strike.

A large consignment of mails reached Belfast yesterday from Liverpool on the destroyer Vidette.

An official statement issued last night announced that there is an ample supply of foodstuffs in Northern Ireland, and that there is no justification for increasing prices to consumers.

In the Londonderry area 2,000 cattle and hundreds of tons of potatoes are held up awaiting shipment. Yesterday more notices terminating their employment were served on workers in Derry City.

FREE STATE.

CONTINENTAL MAILS.

DESPATCHES BY DIRECT SEA ROUTES.

The Free State Department of Posts and Telegraphs announces that letter mails for France, Spain, Portugal, Switzerland, Austria, Italy and other parts of Southern Europe, also Egypt and North Africa, were despatched from Dublin to Dunkirk last evening by Messrs. Michael Murphy's ss. Grania.

A further despatch of letter mails for all European countries, and for Egypt and North Africa, will be made to-day by Messrs. Palgrave Murphy's ss. Dunmore Head, which is due to sail for Antwerp at 2 p.m.

Letter and parcel mails for Canada, and letter mails for Newfoundland, Australia, New Zealand, China and the Far East generally were despatched to Queenstown yesterday for conveyance by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company's ss. Melita for Quebec, due at Queenstown at midnight.

Letter and parcel mails for the United States and letter mails for Canada, Mexico, all parts of South America, and West Indies are being despatched from Dublin this evening *via* Queenstown and New York.

DUBLIN.

EIGHT STEAMERS REACH THE LIFFEY.

EXPORTS OF CATTLE, EGGS AND BACON.

With the arrival of a number of coastal cross-Channel and overseas ships yesterday the port of Dublin for a time during the early morning and afternoon took on a busy appearance.

The Lady Louth, of the British and Irish Steam Packet Company, arrived from Liverpool with a full complement of passengers, but without cargo, save for a number of barrels of Messrs. Watkins' stout, which were not landed at Liverpool on account of the strike.

The Lady Louth left the North Wall, Dublin, last night, on her return trip to Liverpool and Birkenhead. She carried a very large number of passengers for all parts of England. 1,600 head of sheep and lambs and 200 head of cattle were shipped, together with 400 cases of eggs and 4 tons of bacon. There were some English cattle buyers in Dublin again yesterday, and the prices paid were exceptionally good.

Among the passengers that crossed to Liverpool on Thursday were Mr. Kevin O'Higgins, the Minister for Justice; Lord and Lady Powerscourt, Lady Kathleen Pilkington and the Earl of Fitzwilliam. Passengers for any of the big cities of England will now experience little difficulty in getting to their destinations. The services are fairly frequent, but the time taken is much more than under normal conditions.

The British and Irish Company are prepared to take over full shipment of live-stock and dairy produce for Liverpool and Birkenhead in their sailings on the Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday of next week; but it is important for the senders in Ireland to have the people on the English side ready to take over the stocks on landing. This is a vital arrangement. If the company think that it is necessary they are prepared to augment these services and take over full cargoes of foodstuffs only; this includes live-stock and dairy produce.

The company have made all arrangements for the shipment of drugs and anæsthetics for the Dublin and Irish hospitals from Liverpool by their boats next week. This is a very important arrangement, as the supply of drugs and anæsthetics in the Irish hospitals would not last for any considerable time.

It is not expected that any of the ships of the company coming from Liverpool will have any cargo, but large numbers of passengers are expected to travel, since Liverpool is now fairly well connected with the different big centres throughout the country.

TRAFFIC ON THE QUAYS.

The docks and quays were very busy yesterday, taking everything into consideration. The reason for this was the arrival of eight steamers from across the Channel, America, and the Continent. Carters and dockers were busy all day unloading them. At times the traffic on the North Wall was very heavy.

The ss. Razzo came from Hamburg, *via* Cork, with a general cargo, including wines; the ss. Tioga arrived from Avonmouth with tanks full of oil; the ss. Tanid Head arrived with a cargo of timber, flour and wheat, from St. John's, New Brunswick; the ss. Olive came from Larne with a cargo of cement; the ss. Pandora, from Bangor, with a load of slates; the ss. Lady Louth, from Liverpool, with passengers only; and the ss. Grania docked at Ringsend Basin with a full cargo for the Dublin United Tramways Company, and the ss. Grania arrived from France with a cargo of cement.

The only vessels to put out of the Liffey, besides the Lady Louth, for Liverpool, were three trawlers which put to sea for the fishing. The number of men unemployed on the docks was not so great as it has been for the last few days. The stoppage of the export trade with England is, however, making itself felt in various ways.

EFFECT OF THE STRIKE.

MESSRS. JACOB AND THEIR EMPLOYES.

The strike is making its effects felt in Ireland in other than the shipping and agricultural circles.

Messrs. W. and R. Jacob and Company, one of the firms that export in a large way to England, have had to take measures to limit their supply while the strike lasts. The staff of 2,800 employés have been put on "short time" for the last two days. The works for manufacturing chocolates, biscuits, etc., are now shut down at 4 o'clock in the afternoon instead of 5.30 o'clock, as in normal times. In all 4,200 normal working hours have been cut off.

In conversation with an *Irish Times* representative last night, Mr. George N. Jacob said that the reason for this was that their considerable export trade to England had been completely stopped since Monday.

"We are not," he declared, "very much perturbed by this turn of events, as we are sure of making up for what we have lost when our normal trade relations with Great

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NORTHERN IRELAND

MAILS TO BELFAST BY DESTROYER.

FOODSTUFFS PLENTIFUL.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

BELFAST, Friday.

His Majesty's destroyer Vidette arrived at Belfast to-day from Liverpool with a large consignment of mails. The bags were promptly transferred to waiting vehicles and conveyed to the General Post Office.

The following official statement was issued at Belfast to-night:—

Reports from various centres throughout Northern Ireland indicate that the Coal-Rationing Order, issued yesterday, is being carefully observed, and that with the loyal co-operation of local merchants the rationing system is working smoothly.

The reports also make clear that supplies of foodstuffs within Northern Ireland are ample, and that there is no justification for increased prices to the consumer. Indeed, not only are there adequate supplies, but, in so far as agricultural produce is concerned, there is a substantial surplus available for export. There is, therefore, every reason why the public generally should face any present inconvenience calmly and refrain from embarrassing retailers by making abnormal demands upon their stocks.

SHIPPING SERVICES.

SAILINGS ARRANGED.

A limited shipping service to and from Belfast is being established. The Fleetwood steamer, Duke of Argyle, which left Belfast on Tuesday night and has since been laid up at Fleetwood, sailed from the Lancashire port this morning at six o'clock, carrying passengers and fish, and arrived at Belfast late this afternoon.

On the Liverpool route the ss. Heroic sailed from the Mersey last night and arrived at Belfast early this morning. There were 146 passengers on board, many of whom had been stranded in England by the railway stoppage. They reported a gradual increase in the tram services, but the working of the trains is very slow, making the longer journeys exceedingly tedious. The ss. Heroic will leave Belfast to-night for Liverpool at the usual time.

The Belfast Steamship Company intimate a sailing from Liverpool, and that their services next week will be Monday, Wednesday and Friday from Belfast, and Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday from Liverpool.

On the Glasgow route the Magpie sailed last night with passengers, but there was no boat from the other side.

SPECIAL LIVE STOCK STEAMERS.

As the result of an interview held to-day between Mr. T. E. McConnell, M.P., managing director of Robson's, Ltd., Belfast, and the manager of the Belfast Steamship Co., the latter have arranged for three special steamers to run from Belfast to Birkenhead next week for the conveyance of live stock. These steamers will run on Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

COAL RATIONING.

THE NEW REGULATIONS.

Coal rationing under the Order of the Ministry of Commerce was generally entered upon to-day in the distributing centres. The following are the regulations:—

(1) Domestic Coal—No coal merchant shall deliver more than one-quarter ton of house coal to any consumer in any period of four consecutive weeks, nor shall he deliver (a) to other than a regular customer, or (b) to any consumer who has more than 5 cwt. in stock.

(2) In order to meet additional costs of distribution, coal merchants may, in respect of supplies made direct to consumers, charge 2s. per ton above the present regulated prices, such regulated prices being those in force during the week ended Saturday, 1st May, 1926. The prices chargeable by bellman shall in no case exceed those in operation for the week ended Saturday, 1st May, 1926.

(3) Coal merchants shall restrict supplies to dealers to 50 per cent. of the normal requirements of the latter.

(4) The maximum amount which any dealer or bellman may supply to any household shall be one bag (10st.) per week. No supply shall be made by such dealer or bellman (a) to other than a regular customer or (b) to any householder having in stock more than 5 cwt.

(5) Industrial Coal—All sales of industrial coal shall be restricted to (a) requirements for immediate consumption only; and (b) to 50 per cent. of the normal requirements, provided that an exception shall be made in the case of supplies to hospitals, bakeries, yeast producers, and other establishments producing commodities for the maintenance of food supplies.

(6) Merchants and dealers delivering coal outside the city of Belfast or outside the area of any Urban District Council shall, as far as practicable, arrange deliveries so that vehicles, while carrying a full load, will not be utilised for the delivery of supplies to any

ABROAD.

SOVIET MONEY FOR THE STRIKERS.

The following messages have been received from Reuter's correspondents:—

AMSTERDAM.—The International Federation of Trades Unions yesterday remitted £1,000 to the Trades Union Congress as a first instalment of assistance for the strikers.

MOSCOW.—The General Council of Trade Unions of the Union of Socialist Soviet Republics has transferred two million roubles to the British General Council of the Trades Union Congress. This is the second instalment of the collection which is being made amongst the Soviet unions for the assistance of the British strikers. Subscriptions are still coming in.

WASHINGTON.—Mr. Green, the President of the American Federation of Labour, is to lay before the Executive Council the question of giving financial aid to the British strikers.

BOMBAY.—The All-India Trade Union Congress has cabled £200 to the British Trade Union Congress, and has also circularised its affiliated unions requesting contributions to assist the strike.

OTTAWA.—Mr. Draper, the Secretary of the Trades and Labour Congress of Canada, stated that, should the general strike in Britain last another week, an appeal will be issued in Canada for funds.

NO INTERFERENCE DECISION.

JOHANNESBURG.—The Executive of the Typographical Union warns its members against taking any notice of the appeal made to the printers not to print any matter calculated to damage the cause of the British strikers. The Executive declares that their national agreement precludes any such action. The benefit which would accrue to the British workers, it is added, would not compensate for wrecking the agreement, which has not only worked satisfactorily for years, but has also created a bond of mutual agreement, and has guaranteed contentment and peace, which could not otherwise have been assured.

CAPETOWN.—Various labour bodies throughout the Union are passing resolutions, and urging that an appeal should be made for funds for the strikers.

BELGIAN HELP.

ANTWERP. — The Transport Workers' Executive have prohibited the loading of ships not regularly taking coal from the port. The Executive have also decided that cargoes that would presumably not come to Antwerp in normal times shall not be unloaded.

ROTTERDAM COAL TRADE BOOMING.

AMSTERDAM.—Coal freights to the Mediterranean have been reduced 15 per cent. owing to the great number of coal vessels usually loading in the Tyne and the Bristol Channel now loading at Rotterdam. In spite of the rush the tonnage available is so great that freights have slumped. Ruhr quotations for coal for Rotterdam delivery have increased 3s. per ton. The price of bunker coal in the new waterway for ships in ballast, has risen from 15s. to 16s. last week to 24s. 6d., and for loaded ships from 17s. to 26s.

STRIKERS TO "KEEP SMILING."

The British Worker (the Labour strike bulletin) gives the following advice to strikers:—"Do what you can to keep everybody smiling. The way to do that is to smile yourself. Do your best to discountenance any ideas of violent or disorderly conduct. Do what you can to improve your health; a good walk every day will keep you fit. Do something—hanging about swapping rumours is bad every way."

"RULE BRITANNIA."

The Strike Committee has requested strikers not to sing "The Red Flag" in the streets, as it is not palatable to everyone. Strikers yesterday marched to Folkestone, and on their return to Dover sang "Rule Britannia."

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individual household in excess of the maximum quantity obtainable by a householder in the city of Belfast or in the area of an Urban District Council.

(7) It shall be incumbent upon every coal merchant to forward to the County Controller appointed under the Emergency Organisation Scheme of the Government of Northern Ireland, or his nominee, a return showing approximate stocks of coal on hand on the night of Thursday, 6th May, 1926, distinguishing therein quantities of domestic coal and quantities of industrial coal. Thereafter it shall be incumbent upon every coal merchant to forward each morning to the Controller, or his nominee, until further notice, a statement showing (a) the total sales of domestic coal, and (b) the total sales of industrial coal during the preceding day, and also a list showing the names and addresses of purchasers resident outside the boundary of the City of Belfast or Urban District Council area, together with quantities supplied to such purchasers during the preceding day.

(8) This Order shall apply to the whole of Northern Ireland, exclusive of the County Borough of Londonderry.

A separate Order has been issued in respect of Londonderry.

TRADE UNIONISTS MEET.

TRANSPORT SERVICES.

Mr. J. Freeland presided at to-day's meeting of the Negotiating Committee of the Northern Ireland Unions affiliated to the Trade Union Congress. Additional representatives present were delegates from the Belfast Trades Council and the National Union of Sailors and Firemen.

Communications were received from the General Council giving full details of the situation as it prevails in Britain, and a full memorandum as to the policy to be pursued by districts.

With regard to transport, the local committee has been empowered to deal with the release of foodstuffs, the maintenance of transport, sanitary and health services, and the general conduct of the membership involved.

The communication also sets forth that, in view of all the circumstances, the General Council had not felt called upon to request action by trade unionists in Northern Ireland, as direct contact with the Northern Ireland Committee has been effected. Members are to hold themselves in readiness to receive instructions from the duly accredited local body.

The Committee had under consideration the position of areas outside Belfast, and it was decided to request the various local Trades Councils to immediately set up Local Committees for the purpose of receiving instruction, and to act co-ordinately with the Belfast Central Committee.

It has also been recommended that local branches of trades unions represented should request their members to consider the advisability of early financial assistance by whatever means at their disposal for the miners "in this struggle, which is regarded as a common resistance to depredations on our standard of life."

INSTRUCTION TO STRIKE COMMITTEES.

Mr. Robert McCurdy, Divisional Organiser of the Union, received this afternoon the following telegram from Mr. Charles Duncan, M.P., General Secretary of the Organisation General Council:—

"Trades Union Congress has advised local strike committees to meet employers immediately, and offer to supply light and power for such services as house, street and shop lighting, social services, power for food, bakeries, laundries and domestic purposes, and has issued instructions that local undertakings be approached, and their replies reported immediately. This instruction does not apply, of course, to Ireland, where the strike is not effective, as yet."

This telegram is regarded in Belfast Labour circles as a hopeful indication that negotiations are about to be resumed.

LONDONDERRY.

UNEMPLOYMENT NOTICES.

2,000 CATTLE HELD UP.

The first letters from England since the strike began reached Londonderry this evening, and will be delivered to-morrow. Many additional notices terminating their employment were served on workers to-day, including permanent dockers engaged in cross-Channel services. No steamers have yet arrived, but a sailing for Liverpool is expected to-morrow. A flour laden vessel from America is due in ten days, and the hope is entertained that the existing flour supply will be made to last until then. In the absence of cross-Channel services the supply of bakers' flour is running low. The difficulty in connection with the yeast supply has been got over. The coke supply to bakers is being well maintained.

The various control offices were busy centres to-day, the staffs being constantly engaged issuing permits for coal, flour, and sugar. Only in the case of coal are citizens directly affected, permits for flour and sugar being confined to retailers desiring stocks from wholesalers. Over a thousand coal permits have been issued. Two coal yards have closed, their stocks having been exhausted on the eve of control. Efforts are being made to secure the release of a steamer laden for Londonderry at an English port.

Deputy Controller Mr. McFarland stated to-day that it was hoped they would avoid the necessity for issuing permits to the public for sugar and flour, but it is not concealed that the sugar supply is very low, merchants having held back orders in the hope that the Imperial Budget would show a reduction in duty. The restrictions are being accepted cheerfully.

Farmers throughout the North-West are severely hit owing to the cessation of shipping. Two thousand head of cattle, many thousand tons of potatoes, and thousands of dozens eggs are being held up.

THE REAL SUFFERERS.

LORD OXFORD'S MESSAGE.

The British Gazette publishes a message from Lord Oxford and Asquith to the Nation, in which he says:—There could be no greater misunderstanding of the attitude of our people at this moment than to suppose that it implies any hostility to the right of combination in industry. . . . A general strike, such as that which it is being sought to enforce, is directly aimed at the daily life of the whole community. The people who suffer the least from it are the capitalists and the plutocrats. . . .

After pointing out that the real victims of a general strike are the common people, Lord Oxford says:—We should have lost all sense of self-respect if we were to allow any section of the community, at its own will, and for whatever motives, to bring to a standstill the industrial and social life of the whole nation. It would be to acquiesce in the substitution, for free government, of a dictatorship. This the British people will never do. We desire, at the earliest moment, the resumption of negotiations to bring peace and reconstruction to our coalfields. But the anti-social weapon, which has been so unadvisedly drawn, must first be sheathed.

STRIKE ITEMS.

The cruise of the liner Arcadia to the Canary Islands and Morocco, to have started to-day, has been postponed.

Isabel Brown, a certificated teacher, who gave her last address at Moscow, was sentenced at Pontefract for a seditious speech at Castleford.

The Council of the Royal Society of Arts are postponing the examinations which were to have begun in London next Monday. Examinations in the provinces will take place as originally arranged.

The fitting out of the King's yacht, Brittania, has been completed at Cowes, but the testing of the new gear has been postponed until the industrial situation is improved.

PROTEST AGAINST WAGE "CUTS."

At a meeting of the Limerick Corporation on Thursday night it was decided by a majority of two not to strike an improvement rate of 10s. 6d., with the result that at the moment there is no rate collector, although the financial year began on the 1st April.

The improvement rate, which had been reduced in Committee, was to effect a "cut" in salaries and wages, and when the Corporation assembled on Thursday night a deputation attended from the City Trades and Labour Council and protested against any reductions in workers' wages.

After some discussion, during which it was suggested by a Progressive member that the only solution of the difficulty was to apply for a Commissioner, all the Progressive members left the Chamber, and the proceedings terminated abruptly.

STRIKE AFFECTS PARLIAMENT.

THE SPEAKER'S STATEMENT.

"HOLDING UP" FOOD AND TRANSPORT.

FROM OUR PARLIAMENTARY CORRESPONDENT.

WESTMINSTER, Friday.

The Government having appropriated all private members' time until Whitsuntide, to-day was utilised for the progress of a number of Government measures of a more or less uncontroversial character. There was a very sparse attendance of members when the Speaker took the chair at 11 o'clock, but members drifted in in greater numbers during the afternoon, perhaps in a spirit of curiosity. They certainly displayed little interest in the business under discussion, and rapid progress was made. The Marquis of Reading, in the Press Gallery, listened to the debate.

The Speaker, at the outset, read a letter from the Bow street magistrate announcing that Mr. Saklatvala, M.P., had been committed to prison for using seditious language. Mr. David Kirkwood inquired whether there was no way in which members could be protected, having regard to the fact that in this instance Mr. Saklatvala was really "a stranger within our gates." The Speaker pointed out that a member of the House was in exactly the same position as an ordinary citizen with regard to the criminal law, and "the privilege of a member would not cover any breach of that law."

The Local Authorities (Emergency Provisions) Bill was read a third time without discussion, but there was some little talk on the next bill, which proposed to raise the *status* of the Secretary for Scotland to that of a Secretary of State. There was a mild protest from Commander Bellairs against any increase in the number of Secretaries of State. He considered that the present number was excessive, and gave it as his own opinion that if the negotiations in connection with the industrial dispute had been in fewer hands we should not have found ourselves in the present deplorable position.

Mr. Kennedy, speaking for the Labour Party, suggested that in the present situation it would be better to pass the bills without prolonged debate, with the reservation that in happier circumstances opportunity would be given for full discussion. The bill was read a second time, as were also the Markets and Fairs (Weighing of Cattle) Bill, the Land Drainage Bill, and the Execution of Diligence (Scotland) Bill.

THE SPEAKER'S DETERMINATION.

On the motion for the adjournment, the Speaker, replying to Colonel Gretton, said that it was a fact that a number of men engaged in the principal services of the House had been withdrawn, but he did not propose to allow any interference with the work of the House, and he was prepared to carry on without printing or electric light.

Mr. Lansbury declared that whatever inconvenience was caused was due to the contemptuous manner in which the Government had "turned down" the conciliatory offer that the strike should not apply to the essential services.

There was a somewhat stormy scene when Sir Arthur Holbrook asserted that the strikers were "holding up" food and transport in every direction. Mr. Jack Jones, Mr. Kirkwood and Mr. Johnston shouted to the hon. member to withdraw what they declared was an absolute lie. Mr. Kirkwood said that he did not care a damn whether he was suspended or not, but "that lie had got to be withdrawn."

Sir Arthur Holbrook was willing to withdraw if he had said anything offensive, but he would say that working men were sick and tired of these strikes. Dr. Baden Guest declared that the disturbances were caused by sheer hooligans, the products of the appalling slums, and not by either Communists or Trade Unionists.

Mr. Jack Jones said that they were prepared to fight the matter out, whatever the consequences. They had plenty of reserves yet to call out.

The House adjourned at 3 o'clock.

LUCAN TRAMWAY SERVICE.

DEMAND FOR ITS RESTORATION.

At a public meeting held in the Dolphin Hotel, Dublin, last night a deputation was appointed to await on the Dublin Tramway Company with a view to having a private bill promoted in connection with the restoration of the Lucan tramway service.

Dr. Lorcan Sherlock, who presided, explaining the position, said that the Dublin Commissioners, the Dublin County Council, and the Blackrock Urban Council agreed to come to terms with the Tramway Company, but Pembroke, Rathmines, Kingstown, and Dalkey Urban Councils did not agree. Rathmines got £15,780 a year payment for roads, etc., from the Tramway Company, Pembroke got £11,200, Kingstown got £3,300, and Dalkey got £1,200. There was development in every direction around Dublin except towards Lucan, and an overwhelming and scandalous charge was put on local ratepayers in an effort to maintain the roads to Lucan.

PRESIDENT COSGRAVE'S HELP.

In the interchange of views that had taken place between the Tramway Company and the Commissioners and between the Tramway Company and outside bodies, President Cosgrave had played more than a man's part, and the whole idea would have been wrecked upon the rocks of bigoted opposition only for the energy, tact, and public spirit shown by President Cosgrave in this transaction. (Hear, hear.) He thought that the time had come to ask the Dublin Tramway Company to get a private bill passed through the Dail and to get the lease extended for thirteen years in the districts that had approved of it. If they could get the Dublin Tramway Company to lodge their bill he thought that there would be very little difficulty in getting the necessary Parliamentary authorisation for the Tramway Company to get the extension of the lease and to go on with this matter.

Surgeon McArdle moved: "That a deputation be sent to the Tramways Co. with a view to having the bill promoted." He said that he knew tramways in nearly all the countries where they had developed, and he thought the Dublin system was the best in the world. It was an asset to the city and to its development, and he thought it was very unreasonable of people to try and oppose this project.

LOOKING AHEAD.

Senator James Moran, in seconding, said that he did not think the Dublin Tramways Co. need bother about the townships, because in a much shorter time than 13 years they would have a greater Dublin and these townships would probably cease to function.

The High Sheriff (Mr. Hubbard Clark) said that this was a golden opportunity for the townships to take advantage of extending the lease.

Mr. W. J. Larkin said that they of the unemployed would insist that this project, which was going to give employment, would go through.

Mr. P. J. Murphy, Mr. O'Hanlon and Mr. P. Belton having supported the resolution, the motion was passed, and the following deputation was appointed to wait on the Tramways Company:—Surgeon McArdle, Senator Moran, the Rev. Father Trainor, the Rev. Mr. Galley, the Rev. Mr. Boyd, the Rev. Mr. Gillman, Dr. Keane, Dr. Harrison, the High Sheriff, and Messrs. J. McDermott, C. Cregan, F. Warren, M. Rice, P. O'Mailie, T.D., and the Chairman.

WARNING TO RUMOUR-MONGERS

The British Government pointed out in a wireless bulletin yesterday that the circulation of alarmist rumours, such as that the Savings Banks were ceasing payment, is a criminal offence.

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INCREASE OF RENT BILL.

EXISTING MEASURE AMENDED.

THE STANDARD RENT ADDITIONS.

The Increase of Rent and Mortgage Interest (Restrictions) Bill, which was introduced in the Dail during the present week, amends in certain important respects the Act with the same title which was passed in 1919.

Section 3 of the 1919 Act fixes £60 in the Dublin Metropolitan Police area, and £40 elsewhere, as the rental or valuation of a dwelling-house to which the statute applies. The new bill amends that section, and fixes June 24th, 1927, as the limit of the operation of the measure, for houses of the rental or valuation of £52 in the Dublin area and £35 elsewhere. Where the rentals are £40 and £30 respectively the Act will apply until June 24th, 1928, and where they are £30 and £26 until June 24th, 1929. The cheaper the house, the longer the restrictions will remain.

THE REPAIR PERIOD.

ADDITIONS TO STANDARD RENT.

In section 5 the period of the two years 1925 and 1926 is substituted for that of 1923 and 1924 as the "repair period." The addition to the standard rent, over and above that provided for in the clauses dealing with repairs, in the 1923 Act not to exceed 10 per cent. In the amending bill that is raised to 20 per cent.

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Section 7 deals with the effect of statutory notices served under the Act of 1923 or the British Act of 1920, which could not become effective without the addition of a notice to quit. The new bill provides that, where no valid notice to quit was so served on a tenant, the statutory notice served on that tenant shall have effect as if there had also been a notice to quit.

Section 8 deals with rules of procedure. Section 9 provides that nothing in the Act of 1923 shall, from and after May 4th, 1926, render recoverable by a tenant which in the case of premises used for business, trade or professional purposes, were irrecoverable prior to the Act of 1923. That Act, with the amendments of the present bill, will expire on June 24th, 1929.

FREE STATE AND THE STRIKE.

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Britain are resumed, as we hope they will be, within at least a fortnight from now."

Mr. Jacob was of the opinion that they will be able to send across their goods even before that time. Biscuits rank as a food, and if in this regard there is the statement of the Trades Union Congress. The firm is awaiting orders from England, when they will make their shipments as usual.

There was no fear, he emphasised, that they would close down their factory or that any of their employees would be thrown out of employment, even if the strike is to last for a considerable time. They had their Irish orders, which would serve to keep their factories going at half-time. At present they were continuing to manufacture for their English market, and the stock was accumulating in their store-rooms.

The consumption of biscuits will continue, strike or no strike. The situation, he concluded, was not so bad for them, and this was not the first time they had worked on short time; whenever trade was "flat" their employes were put on short time.

CORK.

FORD WORKS ON FULL TIME.

The factory of Messrs. Ford and Son is at the moment working as usual, and it is hoped that supplies of raw material will not be seriously impeded. A specially chartered steamer succeeded in bringing manufactured parts from Cork to England on Thursday, and arrangements have been made to ensure that she will be unloaded and reloaded with a return cargo of materials required in the Cork factory. By these means both the Cork and the English factories will be able to carry on. It remains to be seen whether the firm will be able to manage in the event of a long drawn out strike.

The absence of mail facilities is a handicap. But it is being partly overcome by the use of telephonic communication.

WATERFORD.

SCARCITY OF SUGAR FEARED.

It is feared if the strike lasts over next week there will be a scarcity of sugar. A general discussion on rumoured advances in the price of commodities took place at the Waterford Corporation meeting, and the Mayor said that he waited on the coal merchants, and was assured that prices would not be raised while the present stocks lasted. Any attempt to inflate the prices of foodstuffs in Waterford, he said, would be dealt with by the Corporation immediately.

The Clyde Shipping Company announce that the crews of the idle steamers will be paid this week. A special sailing to Liverpool by the company is arranged for Tuesday next to carry passengers, foodstuffs, and livestock only.

LIMERICK.

INCREASE IN COAL PRICES.

It was stated at a meeting of the Borough Council last night by the Mayor that there are about four months' supply of coal at the gas works. A councillor said that there should be some protest against the increase in the price of coal by some city merchants, but the matter was not further discussed.

MAN FOUND SHOT IN DUBLIN.

WOUND IN FOREHEAD.

Patrick Connelly, aged about 26 years, of 16 St. Augustine street, Dublin, was found at the rear of a tenement house in Meath street, Dublin, about ten o'clock last night, with a bullet wound in his head. Near by lay a revolver. When taken to the Meath Hospital the man was found to be dead.

An inquest will be held to-day.

THE HOLIDAY SEASON.

GREAT SOUTHERN RAILWAYS ARRANGEMENTS.

Many cheap excursion arrangements are contained in this season's tourist programme (embracing 56 pages) of the Great Southern Railways Company. Motor coach drives are supplemented, and tourist and 15-day tickets are now arranged with Glengariff and Dungarvan. Of circular tours, perhaps the most outstanding is the Achill, Connemara, Killarney, and Wicklow tour, embracing a rail trip of about 1,000 miles and a motor-coach tour of about 150 miles, at the cost of £5 5s. 3rd class.

Other attractive arrangements are a day trip to Glendalough, including rail to Rathdrum and motor to Glendalough, at a cost of 7s. 6d. 3rd class, and a similar tour, taking in a motor drive of 40 miles through the beauty spots of County Wicklow, at a cost of 12s. 3rd class.

NATIONAL BANK CLERKSHIPS. Candidates should note that pupils of Rossa College, Stephen's Green, Dublin, gained 7 places at the last examination.—(Advt.)

FREE STATE ARMY VOTE DEBATED IN THE DAIL.

VALUE OF MILITARY BANDS.

THE COST OF THE MEDICAL SERVICE.

At yesterday's sitting of the Dail the debate was concluded on Deputy Heffernan's amendment to reduce the vote of £2,475,670 for the Army for the year by £1,300,000. This and other amendments to the vote were defeated.

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THE SIZE OF THE ARMY.

COST PER HEAD OF THE POPULATION.

Mr. M. Heffernan, replying to the debate on his amendment, said that the President had stated that he did not fear an outbreak of civil strife. That being the case, he had come to the conclusion that the only reason for a standing army of the present size was defence against a possible attack from outside. He had made comparisons and found that the army in the Free State was greatly in excess of the army in any of the Dominions. The population of Canada at the last census was 8,788,000, and the total standing army was 5,500, the total militia and reserve being 123,475. The total cost of the defence force was £2,339,423. The cost per head of the population for the army was 5s. 4d., in the Free State it was 16s. per head. In Australia it was 7s. per head of the population.

The amendment was then put and was defeated by 16 votes to 36. The voting was:—

For—Deputies Baxter, Butler, J. Conlan, C. Hogan, Johnson, McKenna, Wilson, Mulvany, Nagle, M. Doyle, Gorey, Heffernan, Vaughan, P. Hogan (Clare), P. Hogan (Limerick), Wall.

Against—Deputies Blythe, Bolger, Wolfe, Burke, Craig, M. Egan, P. J. Egan, Fitzgerald, Hall, T. Hennessy, Hennigan, President Cosgrave, McFadden, McGilligan, Nicholls, Sears, Nally, Nolan, O'Connor, Hughes, M. Hennessy, Frederick, O'Connor, M. Conlon, Colohan, O'Doherty, Dolan, E. Doyle, P. Doyle, Duggan, Lyons, Lynch, T. Murphy, Reddy, O'Sullivan, Thrift.

REDUCED PAY.

Major Cooper proposed an amendment to reduce the estimate for the pay of officers and men by £7,745. This, he said, was a 10 per cent. "cut" of the amount set down for additional pay for soldier tradesmen. One out of every five of the rank and file was drawing extra pay for doing tradesman's work, while £86,000 was paid for work done by civilians attached to units.

The Minister for Defence replied that it was found necessary to have soldier tradesmen in every company. They did work which could not be satisfactorily done by civilians at the times required. The amount set down was not excessive for the service, although in a bigger establishment than theirs the percentage of the whole force might not be so large.

The amendment was rejected by 35 to 23.

THE ARMY SCHOOL OF MUSIC.

Mr. Johnson raised a question on the estimate for the pay of officers, and said that it was important to have from the Minister a statement with regard to the position that it was intended that officers should occupy.

Taking the general Army, apart from the special services, there was from last year a reduction of five in the total number of officers, but there was a considerable increase in the pay roll. One Lieutenant-General last year was in receipt of £1,000 salary, while the present estimate provided for £1,150. The salaries of seven Major-Generals last year amounted to £5,600; this year it was £6,150. Taking the total, there was an increase of about £9,000. Last year's estimate indicated that there were five officers receiving extra pay of 5s. a day. The present estimate did not give the number in receipt of extra pay nor the rate per day.

With regard to the Army School of Music, he wanted to raise a general question as to the policy of the Army in respect to the School of Music. On analysis he concluded that it was costing £25,000 to £30,000 a year, and he was very doubtful if they could justify that expenditure. On the face of the estimate it appeared as £8,100, but they had to add to that the cost of the men in the bands. Estimating that there was a normal proportion of married men getting lodging allowance and equipment, they had an average, it at say, £52 per annum in addition to their ordinary pay. He thought that the amount of Army service done by bandsmen was trifling, and that the Army as a military force would not be weakened if it had not those 190 or 200 men. There were five bands; last year it required six officers to control, instruct, and direct these bands. The Colonel Director of Music had £623; the Captain Instruction Officer had £300. They had this year a Colonel Director of Music at £548, plus additional pay. They had a Commandant Instruction Officer who last year got £300; this year he had £365, plus additional pay. They had last year a Captain-Adjutant at 16s. a day, two lieutenants at 16s. and one at 10s. a day; and this year, instead of a Captain-Adjutant and three lieutenants, they had only two second lieutenants at 8s. a day and additional pay.

THE MINISTRY'S POLICY.

He did not know, but he assumed that the additional pay for officers in control of the School of Music was 5s. per day, and that it applied to the four officers stated there. If that was the case they had to add £91 5s. per year each, which gave the Colonel-Conductor a salary of £630 5s. this year as compared with £563 last year; and the Commandant Instruction Officer would have £456, as compared with £300 last year. One was in a difficulty to understand why it should require six officers and directors a year ago to deal with these bands and that four men were doing it this year. Was that an indication of a change in policy?

He was not to be taken as minimising the value of military music or instrumental music, whether in the Army or outside the Army; but he hesitated to believe that the Government proposed to inculcate love of music and to increase the standard of music for the country as a whole by means of an Army vote. He thought that the instruction of the people in music in the country would be far more valuable by wireless than through the Army School of Music. The five bands were costing between £5,000 and £6,000 a year, and he thought that the Dail was entitled to know the policy of the Minister in respect to the Army bands—whether it was intended through the Army bands to raise the musical education of the people as a whole. If it was, then he said that this sum ought not to come into the Army vote.

VALUE OF ARMY BANDS.

Major Cooper said that he believed that the Army bands were of value to the Army as a whole. He referred to his own experience in the British Army as to the value of bands, and he differed from the statement made that wireless had done more than the Army bands. There had been some very good music over the wireless and some very bad.

The Minister for Posts and Telegraphs—More good than bad.

Major Cooper replied that he had never heard the Army band play badly. He pointed out that the amount spent on the Army bands was not all loss, and said that there was an appropriation of £1,000 for receipts from Army band performances, which he thought was an underestimate. He did not think that a better day's work for Ireland had ever been done than when Deputy Mulcahy induced Colonel Brase to come here. (Hear, hear.) He thought that bands should be stationed in the more important provincial towns, and believed that they would return in receipts half the cost from performances.

PROMOTION IN THE ARMY.

Speaking of the present position of Army officers, he said that it was not a good thing that their officers should have no prospects of promotion. Most of the officers had been appointed four years ago, and were still serving in the same ranks that they held then. He asked were the seven Major-Generals to go on for ever circulating about the Chief of Staff like the moons round Jupiter. Such a state of things gave no opportunity to anyone below, no matter how efficient they might be. Were the 27 Colonels to be Colonels to the end of their days, and the Majors to remain Majors?

He would like to see provision made for an influx of young officers to the National Army. The Army might provide a career for young men who wished to be soldiers, and the schoolmaster and parent should know the conditions of entrance to the Army. If it was through the ranks that should be made known, though he thought that system would cut out a rather valuable type of aspirant.

Mr. Daly said that he was altogether in favour of bands. He wished that it would travel down south more often.

The Minister for Defence said that the Army Band had done more than any other service had or could do to bring the country back to a normal condition. It was a service that could not be estimated now, but which would be appreciated in years to come. In his office there were applications from all quarters and from people of every shade of opinion in the country for the services of the band. He had not heard any complaints on the head of this expenditure, and thought that in any army, no matter how small, music should be provided. The Army bands would not be kept in Dublin. It was intended to station one of the bands in Cork and one in the Curragh, and the No. 1 Band would be stationed in Dublin.

His intention was to give a band to each command. The bands were serving a very useful purpose, and were well worth the money expended on them. Mr. Johnson had raised a question as to the appointment of an Assistant Chief of Staff. That appointment was only a temporary one.

GUARDS AT LEINSTER HOUSE.

Mr. Johnson protested against the use of military as guards at Leinster House, challenging, by inference, the deputies coming in to the Parliament Buildings. He thought that the Dail, as a civil institution, should be detached from all appearances of military oversight. It was desirable that the incomings and outgoings of people having business in Leinster House should be regulated by the civic guards.

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FIRST MAIL BOAT.

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The streets of Holyhead were for the most part unlighted, and the L.M.S. Hotel was lighted solely by candles.

QUICK WORK IN LOADING BOAT.

CLEARED IN 33 MINUTES AT HOLYHEAD.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

HOLYHEAD, Friday Night.

The position here remains substantially the same as on the first day of the strike, with the exception of that the first train since Tuesday arrived here to-day at 12.45 p.m. and returned to Chester shortly after one o'clock. Several mass meetings have been held, and the men are conducting themselves in a very exemplary manner.

Some excitement was caused when it became known that the L.M.S.R. intended to run a mail boat to Kingstown. The train left Euston promptly to schedule, 9.30 a.m., and arrived here at 7.45 to-night.

There was an abnormal number of letter mails and about 150 first class and forty other passengers.

The usual time allowed for the transfer to the steamer is twenty-five minutes for the day boat and thirty minutes for the night boat. To-night the transfer was effected in thirty-three minutes.

The steamer, the Hibernia, with Captain Tanner in command, left for Ireland at 7.38 p.m. Among the passengers were the Most Rev. Dr. Bernard, Provost of Trinity College, Dublin; Dr. Murphy, of the *Irish Independent*, and nine members of Trinity College Swimming Club, who had arrived here on Tuesday, intending to proceed to Cambridge and London, but were held up owing to the absence of trains.

LUNCHEON CAR RUN.

Captain Bernard Daly, when I questioned him as to his impressions of the journey from London, said that before leaving Euston this morning he had an interesting talk with Mr. Burgess, the general manager of the railway company, who seemed to be as cool as the proverbial cucumber. "Mr. Burgess informed me that, so far as they were concerned, everything was going well. There would, he said, be a train leaving Holyhead for Euston after the arrival of the steamer from Kingstown to-morrow morning.

"We had a very comfortable journey from London, and were pleased to find that we were able to have a good luncheon. A collection was made for the engine-driver which realised £12. Our guard was an old official of the railway company who had been superannuated ten years ago."

EARLY ARRIVALS.

Another first class passenger gave me the following statement:—"The organisation of the passenger traffic is wonderful, and is increasing in efficiency every day. Passengers for the train began to arrive at Euston Station as early as 7.45 a.m. The train was very crowded up to Crewe, their being eight people in carriages meant to seat four. All the corridors were crowded, but, nevertheless, there was a dining car. After leaving Crewe the congestion became very much less, and we were able to make the remainder of the journey in great comfort.

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LIGHTING RESTRICTIONS.

The local authority here have issued an order to the effect that from Sunday the electric current will be cut off from 1 a.m. to 7 a.m. daily. The gas pressure will be reduced from Monday next during certain prescribed hours.

In the early hours of yesterday morning a destroyer arrived in the harbour and landed a number of naval ratings and marines for protection purposes, should an emergency arise.

OMNIBUSES IN CORK.

NEW SERVICE TO BE ESTABLISHED.

Arrangements have been completed and licences issued by the City Commissioner for an omnibus service in Cork. The promoter of the scheme, Mr. A. P. Morgan, of Harpenden, near London, has completed all details, and five buses will be at work in the city at an early date. It was hoped to have the cars running this week, but the despatch to Cork was delayed owing to the strike.

The type of car to be used is the Daimler double-deck bus, having accommodation for forty-four passengers. The cars cost approximately £1,500 each, and will be liable to tax under the Free State Budget of £283 each per year

U.S. MARKETS.

MANY DECLINES DUE TO STRIKE.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)
NEW YORK, Friday.

Stocks opened irregular, and the resumption of bear selling of Motor and Rubber issues caused nine new low "records" for the year to be recorded in these stocks, and ten more minimums in other industrials. Bear operators, perceiving the unwillingness of bulls to buy, pending the outcome of the British strike, and the apathy of public interest in the market, seized the opportunity to attack shares where inside support was evidently lacking. Dupont and General Electric declined 5¼, National Distillers Products Preferred 5, Mack Trucks 4, and U.S. Rubber, Woolworth, General Motors, American Woollen Preferred, U.S. Cast Iron Pipe, Jordan Motors, International Telephone, Sloss-Sheffield Steel and Iron, Allied Chemical and Barnet Leather 3 to 4 points. Texas and Pacific Land Trust, however, jumped 20 points, but reacted to 50. The market closed weak. Government Bonds irregular; Railroad Bonds irregular. The day's sales totalled 10,000 shares.

Money on call closed firm at 4 per cent. bid, and 4¼ per cent. asked. All business was done at 4 per cent. Sterling Exchange steady. Silver ½c. lower at 64¾.

	Fri.	Thur.
Call Money	4b. 4¼	4b. 4¼a
Exchange on Lon. 60 days sight	4.86½	4.86
Do do. Demand Bills	4.87½	4.88
Cable Transfers	4.88½	4.88½
Do. Montreal	4.83	4.83
Exchange Paris, cable	3.15	3.14

Par. Parity	Stocks.	Closing Bid Prices Fri.	Business Done. Thur.
105¾	U.S. Funded	102¾	102½
137½	Atchison, Topeka, Santa Fe	136⅞	136⅞
100⅝	Do. Pref.	99½	99½
88⅝	Baltimore and Ohio	86½	87
139½	Canadian Pacific	135⅝	135
104	Chicago, Milwaukee, & St. Paul	10⅜	10⅜
72⅛	Chicago and North-West	70	70
32⅛	Erie Shares	31⅛	31⅛
39⅝	Erie 1st Preferred	38½	38½
119⅝	Illinois Central	116⅞	116⅞
123⅛	Louisville and Nashville	122	122
36⅛	Missouri, Kansas and Texas	35⅝	36⅛
31⅝	Missouri Pacific New	30½	31½
125⅛	New York Cntral & Hudson R.	121¼	122⅛
147⅛	Norfolk and West Com.	143	144⅛
21⅛	Northern Pacific Com.	19¾	20
57⅝	Pennsylvania Shares	51⅝	51⅞
85⅛	Reading Shares	83	83½
41⅛	Do. Pref.	40⅝	40⅝
112⅛	Southern Railway	109	109⅝
102⅛	Southern Pacific	99⅜	99⅞
151⅛	Union Pacific	147⅜	147⅝
80⅛	Do. Pref.	78	78
119⅛	American Smelt. and Refining	116⅝	118⅛
46⅛	Anaconda Copper	45⅝	46⅛
27⅛	Brit.-American Tobacco Coupon	26⅞	26⅞
99	New York Consolidated Gas	96⅝	96⅞
222⅛	General Electric	213⅜	213⅝
149⅛	National Lead	144⅝	146
124⅜	United States Steel Common	121	122⅝
130⅛	Do. Pref.	127	127⅛
99⅛	Bethlehem Steel Com. Stock	95⅝	96⅛
153⅛	General Motors (New)	129⅝	131⅜
8⅞	Inter. Mer. Marine Com. Certs.	8	8
38	Do. Pref. Certs.	34⅜	34⅜
42⅛	Shell Ordinary	41	41
66⅛	Pan-American Petroleum "B"	65	65⅛
16⅛	Anglo-American Oil	16⅝	16⅝
25⅛	Shell Union Oil Corp.	24⅛	24⅛
58⅛	U.S. Rubber	57	58
44⅛	American Can. (New Stock)	43⅝	43⅝
35⅛	International Pet. of Canada	32⅜	32⅝
—	Silver Commercial Bars	64¾	64⅞
	BONDS.		
94⅛	Atch. Top. New 4% Gen. Mort.	92⅝	92⅝
71⅛	Erie Rail. Gen. 4% Lien Bonds	69⅜	69⅜
97⅛	Union Pacific 4% Bonds	95	94⅝
110⅛	U.S. Steel 2nd Mort. 5% Bonds	107	107½
120⅛	U.K. 5½ per cent. Bonds, 1929	117	117⅜
107⅛	Do. Do. 1937	103½	104
105⅞	7 per cent. German Loan	102⅜	102⅝

* Asked; † Ex div.; ‡ Ex-interest; ‖ Ex rights.

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKETS.

WHEAT easy, 1¼c. to 1¾c. lower.

	To-day.	Prev. days
No. 2 Hard Winter, spot	176½	177½
No. 2 Red Winter, spot	181½	182½
No. 2 Mixed Durum, spot	155¾	156⅜
No. 1 Northern Manitoba, spot (to arrive)	171¾	172¾

Sales for export—75 bushels.

LARD steady, 10 points up. Prime Western Steam, 15.70; Middle West, 15.50 to 15.60.

FLOUR steady. Spring Clears (100 per cent.), 7.25 to 7.75.

PETROLEUM steady,

	To-day.	Prev. days
Standard White in cases	18.65	18.65
Standard White in barrels	15.25	15.25
Do, Philadelphia	15.25	15.25
Mid-Continent Crude	33-33.9	33-33.9
Pennsylvania Crude	2.95-3.65	2.95-3.65

RUBBER very dull, but steady. First latex crepe, 49 buyers; smoked ribbed sheets, spot, 44¾ buyers, 49¾ sellers.

Fuzal Cuban, spot, firm, 7 points dearer; 96 test Centrifugal Cuban, 4.31. Approximate day's sales—30,000 tons.

Options—	May	July	Sept.	Dec.	Jan.	Mar.
To-day	2.47	2.57	2.68	2.79	2.78	2.72
Prev. day	2.45	2.55	2.66	2.77	2.76	2.71

TURPENTINE—Spirits of Turpentine, 85; Savannah Stocks of Turpentine, 76‡.

METALS.—Tin easy and 25 points lower; spot, 64.60; future option, 59.75. Tin Plates, 8.50. Lead steady, 7.25. Zinc steady at 2½ points rise; East St. Louis spot, 6.80. Iron steady; No. 2 American Northern Foundry, 21.00 to 22.50. Electrolytic Copper steady; spot, 13½; futures, 12¾. Bessemer Steel Rails, 45.

WINNIPEG GRAINS.

WHEAT closed barely steady, 1¼c. to 1¾c. lower. Closing options—May, 152½; July, 150½; October, 135½. Oats barely steady, ¼c. down. Barley barely steady, unchanged to ¼c. lower.

Wheat receipts (carlots)	To-day.	Prev. day.
No. 1 Northern	52	63
No. 2 Northern	26	44
No. 3 Northern	22	45
No. 4 Northern	3	8
Other grades	133	104
Total	276	264

NEW YORK COTTON.

COTTON opened barely steady, 8 to 15 points down. The closing was steady at 16 to 21 points up. Spot quiet and 15 points lower.

Receipts—Atlantic ports, 5,000 bales; Gulf, 3,000; Pacific, nil; interior towns, 4,000. Exports—Great Britain, nil; Continent, nil; Japan, nil.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Friday.

WHEAT opened easy, ¼c. to 1¼c. lower, and closed barely steady, 1¼c. to 1½c. down. Spot barely steady.

	To-day.	Prev. day.
No. 2 Hard Winter spot	163½	164¾
No. 3 Hard Winter spot	—	—

Future—Opening options—	May	July	Sept.
To-day	158¼	138⅝	134⅞
Prev. day	159⅞	139⅜	135⅝
Futures—Closing options—	May	July	Sept.
To-day	158¼	138⅝	134⅞
Prev. day	159⅜	139⅞	135⅝

MAIZE at the opening was easy and ¼c. to ½c. down. The market closed easy, 1¼c. to 1½c. lower.

	To-day.	Prev. day.
Spot No. 2 mixed	71¾	72¾

Futures—Opening options—	May	July	Sept.
To-day	70¾	74⅞	78
Prev. day	70⅜	76⅝	78⅝
Futures—Closing options—	May	July	Sept.
To-day	69¾	74	77⅞
Prev. day	70⅜	75⅝	78⅛

OATS easy, ¼c. to ½c. down.

Futures—Closing options—	May	July	Sept.
To-day	40¾	41⅞	42⅜
Prev. day	40⅜	42½	42⅝

RYE—Futures barely steady, ¼c. to 1¼c. lower. No 2 spot unquoted.

Futures—Closing options—	May	July	Sept.
To-day	83¾	86⅜	86⅛
Prev. day	84⅜	87½	89⅜

PROVISIONS closed steady, with lard futures ½ to 2½ points and spot 7½ points up. Ribs are 10 to 20 points higher. Lard—Spot, 14.95.

Lard—Closing options—	May	July	Sept.
To-day	14.65	15.15	15.37½
Prev. day	14.87½	15.10	15.35
Ribs—Closing options—	May	July	Sept.
To-day	16.56	16.75	16.70
Prev. day	16.45	16.55	16.50

BACON steady at 25 points advance. Short ribbed sides (40lbs. average)—16.75.

HOGS firm. Light descriptions are 15 and heavy 25 to 15 points dearer. Light hogs, 12.70 to 14.00; heavy hogs, 12.80 to 13.40.

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Members of the Crew of the Mail Steamer Scotia at boat drill in Kingstown Harbour.

Leading in Mr. M. J. Cleary's Dunlavin Lass, winner of the Spring Plate at Leopardstown.

Lord Southampton at Leopardstown Races.

Mr. Trench and Captain Lingard Goulding at Leopardstown Races.

Miss Kitty C. Franklin, Gold Medallist, Senior Violin and Sight Singing Competitions, at the Feis Ceoil, and winner of the Royal Irish Academy of Music Vandeleur Scholarship and Gold Medal for Advanced Violin Playing.

Misses Alice Brough, Sheila Brough, May Lord, and Una Lord, winners of the String Quartet.

Mr. C. G. Bannister, Gold Medallist in the French Horn Competition at the Feis Ceoil.

Group of Officials of the Limerick Show.

Mr. M. Raleigh's Trio of Prize-winners at the Limerick Show. Left to right: Loobagh Grand Duke, Tipperary Boy, and Limerick Ranger.

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DUBLIN (Westland Row)	dep. 5.30 a.m.	LONDON (Euston)	dep. 9.30 a..
Dun Laoghaire	dep. c. 6 a.m.	Holyhead	arr. 7.15 p.m.
Holyhead	dep. 12. 0 a.m.	Dun Laoghaire	arr. 10.30 p.m. (about)
LONDON (Euston)	arr. 8.45 p.m. (about)	DUBLIN (W.R.)	arr. 11. 0 p.m. (about)

Connections will also be given from Holyhead to Liverpool, Manchester, Birmingham, and, where possible, to the principal centres.

Passengers travelling from Ireland may, if desired, go on board the Mail boat at Dun Laoghaire Pier up to 11.0 p.m. on Monday, Wednesday, or Friday nights, and Sleeping and Berthing accommodation will be provided as far as possible. Application should be made early to Irish Traffic Manager's Office, 15 Westmoreland Street, Dublin (Phone 3202)

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ROYAL IRISH ACADEMY OF MUSIC.

At the weekly meeting of the Governors of the Royal Irish Academy of Music on Wednesday—Commendatore M. Esposito, Mus.D., T.C.D., presiding—estimates for an improved supply of hot water to the Academy premises were submitted, and the tender of Messrs. Baird, Ltd., of Dublin, was accepted.

The practicability of establishing an Academy orchestra was under consideration, and it was resolved to ask the Board of Studies to submit a report in reference to the matter.

The hon. secretary of the Sligo Feis Ceoil forwarded the examiner's report, and the Governors awarded the "Denis O'Sullivan Memorial" bronze medal to Mrs. Flynn, 251 North Circular road, Dublin.

ENCOURAGING POULTRY-BREEDING.

With a view to encouraging poultryl-breeding in the county, Roscommon County Committee of Agriculture has decided to expend an additional grant of £2260 given by the Ministry in appointing a second poultry instructress, and has called on the show societies subsidised by the Committee to allocate prizes for pullets that should be winter layers.

FUNERAL OF MR. R. DUNBAR.

The funeral of the late Mr. Richard Dunbar took place at Chapelizod, and was largely attended by leading members of the business life of Dublin, as well as by many personal and family friends. Mr. Dunbar had been connected with Messrs. Brooks, Thomas and Co. for forty-six years, and was held in the highest esteem by the directors and members of the office and works staffs.

The chief mourners were:—R. F. R. Dunbar (son), Messrs W., T. and H. Dunbar (brothers).

Amongst those present were:—The Rev. F. W. Coster, the Rev. K. M. Dunlop, Messrs. H. C. Doyle, J. Clark, E. Clive Brooks, N. Hutton, A. J. Wallace, C. Wisdom Hely, Major J. H. Cusack, E. M. Brown, J. M. Peate.

Pilgrimages under Catholic Auspices.

ROME:

Aug. 3-13. Booking closes July 5th. £34 10/-.
PONTIGNY AND PARAY-LE-MONIAL:
Aug. 9-13. Booking closes July 26th. £12.
LOURDES
Sept. 8-16. Booking closes Aug. 9th. £8 10/-
SPAIN (Tour):
Sept. 14-Oct. 9. Booking closes Aug. 23. £40.
ASSISI AND ROME:
Sept. 28-Oct. 13. Booking closes Sept. 6:—
£22 2nd Class: £17 10/- 3rd Class.
ROME:
Oct. 12-25. Booking closes Sept. 13
£28 1st Class; £22 10/- 2nd Class.

The fares quoted above are from London. Per Pilgrims joining any of the above parties return fare from any station in Ireland to London will be at the rate of fare and one-third. If bookings justify, a special Irish party will be formed in connection with each pilgrimage and tour.

In Ireland bookings should be effected through the Catholic Truth Society of Ireland, 7-8 Lower Abbey street, Dublin, where full particulars may be had on application.

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THE WEEK IN BELFAST.

STRIKE PRECAUTIONS.

(FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.)

From all points of view it has been an interesting week; but the strike across the water, of course, has overshadowed local matters to a very large extent. The great question is whether, if ever, the local unions will be "called up." Inquiries in trade union circles evoke very cautious replies. Meanwhile the Government is taking no chances. Coal is being rationed for household consumption; train services generally are being curtailed, and housewives are finding that it takes longer than heretofore to boil a kettle. Various rumours are floating round about Queen's Island and tramway stoppages, but it is impossible to get confirmation of them. Incidentally, it is very unfortunate that the mine at Coalisland is not in very satisfactory working order, as in the event of a prolonged stoppage of imports the regular supply from it would have been invaluable. I am unable to say just exactly what is the matter. I had it explained to me, but the language used was so technical that, except for a vague theory that the ground was very heavy there, and that propping was difficult, I was not much the wiser. Turning to local affairs, one awards the palm to Lady Craig's "Egg and Elephant"—it sounds like a rather good name for a publichouse—sale at the Ulster Hall. It happens not infrequently that when bazaars are held under distinguished patronage that people in the background do all the work, while the distinguished patronage takes the credit. It is otherwise, however, in this case, as Lady Craig has devoted an enormous amount of energy and enthusiasm to the work; and, while both were infectious, and she had many willing and able helpers, the chief credit is universally, and rightly, laid at her door. It was a happy thought to invite Mrs. Chichester and Mr. Devlin to perform jointly the opening ceremony on the second day. They have had so many sparring matches in Parliament that they obviously enjoyed meeting on a neutral platform, though even there neither could quite resist having a "hit" at the other, with the result that the very large attendance started the real business of the day in the very best of humours.

Parliament has been busy passing emergency bills, discussing juries, and voting supplies. The jury debate was distinguished by the fact that Sir Dawson Bates, the Minister of Home Affairs, in proposing the bill, spoke well over an hour and a half. Despite its length, it was by no means Sir Dawson's worst effort, and the cheers that greeted his finale were not due solely either to relief or to admiration for a fit of physical endurance. In the debate that followed one gathered that, had the voting been "free," a majority would have supported payment of all juries.

NEW DUBLIN STOCKBROKER.

The *Dublin Gazette* announces that the Minister for Finance has licensed Mr. Charles Thomas Wallis, of the County Dublin, to act as a stockbroker in buying and selling Government stock and Government securities on commission.

LEOPARDSTOWN RACES.

A MAY MEETING IN CHILLY WEATHER.

It was very disappointing to find wintry conditions and wild weather prevailing yesterday, when the first May meeting took place on the Leopardstown course at Foxrock. Fortunately, the showers did not last long, but the cold wind detracted from the enjoyment of many, and only the wearers of furs—strange attire for May—were able to brave the elements with comfort. The course and enclosures looked very attractive, and the wealth of clematis blossom festooned over the buildings and the backs of the stands had a remarkably decorative effect, and suggested that summer was coming at last.

The attendance was not so large as might have been expected, many cross-Channel visitors to Punchestown having returned hurriedly home, and thus missed some very good sport.

Among those present were:—Sir Walter Nugent, the Right Hon. T. K. Laidlaw, the Right Hon. General Sir Bryan Mahon, and Mr. W. H. West, who acted as Stewards of the meeting; Lady Ardee and the Hon. Maureen Brabazon, Lady Eva Forbes, Lady de Freyne, Lady Hemphill, the Hon. Mrs. Dewhurst, the Hon. Doreen Wingfield, Sir Michael and Lady O'Loghlen, Sir Lingard Goulding, Sir Thomas Stafford, Lady Mahon, Mr. Justice Wylie, Lady Chance and party, Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay-Hogg-Pitsetich, General and Mrs. Waldron, General Smith-Bingham, Colonel and Mrs. Bramston Newman, Mrs. Page Croft, Mr. and Mrs. More O'Ferrall, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Dudgeon, Captain Boyd Rochfort, V.C., and Mrs. Boyd Rochfort, Mr. and Mrs. Marrogh Ryan, Mrs. G. C. Greene, Dr. and Mrs. Maunsell, Major Anson Maher, Captain and Mrs. French, Captain L. J. Arnott, Mr. Ernest Bellaney, Miss Grattan Esmonde, Miss Stopford, Miss M. Fitzgerald, Major J. D. Barry, Dr. and Mrs. Croly, Mr. and Mrs. Dalgety, Mrs. Richard Leeper, Mr., Mrs., and Miss Morton, Miss Clarke, Mr. T. de B. Tombe, Mr. O'Callaghan, Mr. and Mrs. Murphy, Mr. H. Pack Beresford, the Misses Nixon, Mr. Tudor, Mr. and Miss MacCallam, Mrs. Alexander, Mrs. G. Nesbitt, Master Jackson, Mr. Leonard, Mr. Crosby, Mr. and Mrs. Cummins, Mr. Dawson, Mr. F. Harold Clark, Mr. R. Ryan, Miss Gleeter, Miss Armstrong, Miss Baker, Mr. and Mrs. A. M'Canu, Mr. J. W. Murland, Mr. H. M. Hartigan, Mr. H. Ussher, Mr. Albert Lowry, Mr. J. J. Parkinson, Mr. C. T. Wallis, Mr. Thomson, etc.

THE BOYS' BRIGADE.

FINE DISPLAY BY DUBLIN COMPANY.

Major Sir Robert Tate, K.B.E., F.,T.C.D., last night inspected the 25th Dublin Company of the Boys' Brigade at St. Jude's Hall, Kilmainham, and, after viewing the march past and exercise, congratulated the boys on what he thought was the smartest show that he had seen anywhere.

Lady Tate distributed special prizes.

The Rev. F. Coster, who presided, said that in his twenty-five years' experience he had never known more efficiency to be displayed. On the table before him, he added, amidst applause, they had this year the coveted Duckett Cup for football.

BELFAST CORPORATION HOUSES.

CHARGE AGAINST OFFICIAL

Arthur Ritchie, a clerk in the employment of the Belfast Housing Committee, was further charged at Belfast yesterday with the alleged embezzlement of sums of money amounting to £100, the property of the Corporation.

Edward L. Crawford, chauffeur, said that on several occasions in the early part of 1924 he attended at the City Hall Housing Department with a view to getting one of the Corporation houses. In August, 1924, he signed and lodged the application (produced) with Mr. Ritchie. On the 9th October, 1924, he signed an offer to purchase a house at 21 Whitehall parade. Witness paid the accused man £10, and he got a letter to take to Mr. Robert Boyd, the rent agent. Accused man later asked witness for the receipt, stating that he would give him an official receipt. Witness did not get an official receipt. He was not certain as to the dates.

Ritchie was remanded for a further week.

CONSULAR APPOINTMENT.

It is officially announced that the appointment has been recognised of Mr. J. Howard Wetmore as Vice-Consul of the United States in Dublin.

PATENTS, DESIGNS, TRADE MARKS.—WM. EWART DOYLE, Registered Patent Agent, Consulting Engineer, Registered Patent Attorney, Gresham Hse., 13 College Green, Dublin.—(Adv.)

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LEOPARDSTOWN.

FAVOURITES TO THE FORE.

EAST GALWAY'S FINE PERFORMANCE.

J. MOYLAN RIDES THREE WINNERS.

The weather in Dublin yesterday morning was so threatening that many who otherwise would have gone racing must have been deterred from doing so, and as a consequence the attendance was below the average. Those who did venture forth, however, had no reason to complain, as the sport ruled interesting, and backers had a real good innings. Features were the splendid performance of East Galway, who set his big imost in the Newtown Plate at defiance and won in effortless fashion, and the riding of J. Moylan, who had three winning rides.

To begin with, Kildarra Boy and Flying Prince left off joint favourites for the Shankill Hurdle Plate, and, whilst the latter cut up in disappointing fashion, Kildarra Boy practically dominated the situation throughout and scored very comfortably, indeed. Only four runners went to the post for the Shillingar T.Y.O. Plate, and the odds of 4 to 1 laid on Tag End were landed with consummate ease.

The principal event of the day, the Spring Plate, attracted a field of eleven two-year-olds, and they were a good-looking party, of when Cheshire is an own brother to Vestinger King. He, however, is still backward, and a pronounced favourite was found in Belle Aurore, who shaped well behind Nell Gwynne at the Curragh. She now signally failed to reproduce that running, and was beaten at the end of three furlongs, at which point Dunkwin Lass had fairly taken the measure of the opposition, and, making light of the efforts of Hermetic to catch her, won in decisive fashion. Irish Rose whipped round at the post, and Callin Dubh destroyed her chance by dwelling at the start and losing a considerable amount of ground.

As was presaged in the betting, Minervus proved the good thing he was generally voted to be for the Pavilion Plate, which he won with a lot in hand from Stronganeal.

East Galway added to his already lengthy list of successes in the Newtown Plate, a two miles welter flat race, and in carrying 13st. 7lb. to very easy victory Mr. J. S. Shepherd's good horse must be credited with having accomplished a very fine performance. Bantam set a cracking pace for the first mile, and then Irish Eyes and Too Richy in turn loomed large in the picture, but when given his head in the straight East Galway put the issue beyond doubt in a few strides. For the wind-up we were treated to a thrilling finish in the Lower Plate, in which the well-backed Dux Americanus squeezed home a head in front of Ann B. and The Kid. Details:—

3.0—THE SHANKILL PLATE of 100 sovs., of which the second receives 10 sovs. and the third 5 sovs. A handicap hurdle race. 2½ m.

Mr. W. O'Driscoll's br. c. KILDARRA BOY, by Thistleton—Bachelor's Girl, 6, 13-7..J. Moylan 1
Mr. F. S. Myerscough's GOSLIN, 4, 9-3..P. Power 2
Mr. T. J. O'Neill's FLYING PRINCE, 5, 10-13..... E. Lenehan 3

Mrs. J. H. C. Bartholomew's Duffoon, 5, 10-6 ..... Owner 0
Mr. A. McCann's Chicane, 4, 9-11 ..... Mr. P. B. Cullinan 0
Mr. R. F. Hope's Sweet Lady, 5, 9-8 ..... Evans 0

(Winner trained by M. Dawson.)

Betting—2 to 1 each agst. KILDARRA BOY and Flying Prince, 5 to 1 Goslin, 10 to 1 Chicane and any other.

Goslin set the pace to Flying Prince, Kildarra Boy, Duffoon, and Chicane, until approaching the last hurdle, when Kildarra Boy drew to the front and won in a canter by eight lengths; six lengths divided second and third. Duffoon was fourth. Time—3 mins. 4 secs.

3.30—THE STILLORGAN PLATE of 100 sovs., of which the second receives 10 sovs. and the third 5 sovs. For two years old. 5 f.

Mr. H. I. Ussher's gr. c. TAG END, by Tagrag—Short Line, 8-7 ..... J. Moylan 1
Mr. H. M. Hartigan's CLOWANSTOWN, 8-7 ..... P. Fitzgerald 2
Mr. A. Lowry's SAUCY JACK, 8-5 ..... W. Treacy 3
Mr. J. Lawlor's Miss Kirk, 8-2 ..... Owner 0

(Winner trained by Owner.)

Betting—4 to 1 on TAG END, 4 to 1 agst. Clowanstown, 20 to 1 any other.

Clowanstown led from Tag End, Saucy Jack, and Black Cap, for three furlongs, when Tag End drew to the front and won in a canter by two lengths; twelve lengths divided second and third. Time—69 4-5 secs. There was no bid for the winner.

4.0—THE SPRING PLATE of 200 sovs., of which the second receives 30 sovs. and the third 10 sovs. For two years. 5 f.

Mr. A. C. Cleary's br. c. DUNLAVIN LASS, by Cygnus—Lady Powerstown, 7-7 ..... John Doyle 1
Mr. A. B. Coyle's HERMETIC, 7-12 ..... Dyas 2
Capt. R. B. Bramley's CONNEMARA, 8-3 ..... P. Fitzgerald 3
Mr. C. F. Wallis's Khetive, 8-6 ..... H. Wing 0
Mr. H. I. Ussher's Carlisbeg, 8-3 ..... W. Redmond 0
Mr. H. I. Ussher's Archway, 8-1 ..... W. Hamill 0
Mr. D. J. Geoghegan's Callin Dubh, 7-13 ..... Reader 0
Mr. H. I. Ussher's Irish Rose, 7-12 ..... W. Treacy 0
Mrs. Corr Coombs's Belle Aurore, 7-7 ..... James Doyle 0
Mrs. Darby Rogers's White Charioteer, 8-5 ..... C. Hanshaw 0
Mr. J. J. Parkinson's Foretell, 7-7 ..... Z. Blake 0

(Winner trained by J. Daly.)

Betting—2 to 1 agst. Belle Aurore, 5 to 1 each Hermetic and Callin Dubh, 6 to 1 each DUNLAVIN LASS and Khedive, 10 to 1 Connemara or any other. Irish Rose whipped round at the start, and Callin Dubh bustled Dunlavin Lass and Hermetic off the quickest and led from Belle Aurore, Connemara, Archway, Hermetic and Racestone. Inside the distance Hermetic tried determinedly to make any impression on Dunlavin Lass, who won by two and a half lengths; three lengths divided second and third. Callin Dubh was fourth, Belle Aurore fifth, Foretell sixth, and Khedive next. Time—68 secs.

4.30—THE PAVILION PLATE of 100 sovs., of which the second receives 10 sovs. and the third 5 sovs. Welter handicap. 1 m.

Mr. F. Myerscough's h. c. MINERVUS, by Grecian Queen—Quick Flight, 9-1 ..... Owner 1
Mrs. F. Ray's RECOMPENSE, 8-7 ..... J. Dines 2
Mr. T. Coomba's GIFT OF LAVENDER, 8-7 ..... Owner 3
Mr. T. Burne's Easter Laddie, 8-12 ..... A. Barrett 0
Colonel Clarke's Gay Stella, 8-5 ..... C. Sowerby 0
Mr. F. James Bailey's Lochroon, 8-5 ..... Owner 0
Mr. J. Reid's Blue Lockout, 8-7 ..... D. McDonnell 0
Mr. C. M'Laughlin's Millbank, 8-7 ..... Owner 0

(Winner trained by E. Fordred.)

Betting—6 to 4 agst. MINERVUS, 3 to 1 agst. Recompense, 10 to 1 Gift of Lavender, each Gay Stella, 20 to 1 any other.

Lochroon set the pace to Gift of Lavender, Easter Laddie, Minervus, Recompense, and Blue Lock Out until half a mile from home, when Gift of Lavender went on in front of Easter Laddie, Minervus, and Blue Lock Out. Inside the distance Minervus headed Gift of Lavender, and, drawing clear away, won in a canter by eight lengths; Gift of Lavender was second, and Easter Laddie was fourth, Millbank fifth, Gay Stella sixth, and Blue Look Out next.

Time—1 min. 50 2-5 secs.

5.0—THE NEWTOWN PLATE of 100 sovs., of which the second receives 10 sovs. and the third 5 sovs. A handicap flat race. 2 m.

Mr. J. Shepherd's b. g. EAST GALWAY, by William Rufus, dam by Aquascum—Little Wolf, 13-7 ..... Mr. J. T. Widger 1
Mr. J. T. Wilson's BANTAM, 5, 11-0 ..... Mr. J. Downes 2
Mr. P. J. Brophy's TOO RICHY, 6, 11-10 ..... Mr. P. Nugent 3
Mr. T. D. McKeever's Irish Eyes, 5, 11-12 ..... Mr. F. S. McKeever 0
Mr. M. McDonagh's Axeida, 6, 11-11 ..... Mr. T. B. Cullinan 0
Mr. A. Lowry's Bachelor's Trump, 5, 11-9 ..... Mr. C. Brabazon 0
Mr. F. Clarke's Maqueda, 4, 10-12 ..... Owner 0
Mr. T. O'Rourke's Oliver's Mint, 4, 10-12 ..... Owner 0

(Winner trained by M. Arnott.)

Betting—3 to 1 each agst. EAST GALWAY and Too Richy, 6 to 1 each Axeida, Bachelor's Trump, Oliver's Mint and Irish Eyes, 10 to 1 Bantam, 50 to 1 Maqueda.

Bantam set the pace to Oliver's Mint, Maqueda, Bachelor's Trump, Axeida, Too Richy, Irish Eyes, and East Galway. This was the order for a mile, when Irish Eyes went on in front of Oliver's Mint, Too Richy, Bantam, East Galway, and Maqueda. Half a mile from home East Galway improved his position, and, going on second to Too Richy a little further on, took the lead in the straight, and won in a canter by ten lengths; a head divided second and third. Oliver's Mint was fourth, Eyes fifth, Maqueda sixth, and Bachelor's Trump next.

Time—3 mins. 39 2-5 secs.

5.30—THE TOWER PLATE of 100 sovs., of which the second receives 10 sovs., and the third 5 sovs. A handicap. 5 f.

Mr. A. H. Ledlie's ch. c. DUX AMERICANUS, by Diadumenos—Americus Girl, 4, 8-10 ..... M. Wing 1
Mr. A. B. Coyle's ANN B., 3, 7-10 ..... J. Dines 2
Mr. L. Scott's THE KID, 4, 8-3 ..... A. Barrett 0
Mr. H. Stockman's Wisket, a, 9-7 ..... Jas. Doyle 0
Mr. J. J. M'Auley's Argosone, 5, 9-3 ..... J. Fitzgerald 0
Mr. D. Sullivan's Sir Stingo, 4, 8-11 ..... W. Treacy 0
Mr. J. Sheils's Minnetonka, 4, 8-6 ..... Jas. Doyle 0
Mr. J. T. Rogers's Dame Rumour, 4, 8-2 ..... R. Walsh 0
Mr. W. Coffey's Knocklong's Pride, 3, 7-13 ..... D. McDonnell 0
Mr. J. J. Parkinson's Pride of Priestown, 3, 7-4 ..... Z. Blake 0

(Winner trained by M. C. Collins.)

Betting—2 to 1 agst. DUX AMERICANUS, 3 to 1 The Kid, 4 to 1 each Argosone and Minnetonka, 7 to 1 Ann B., 9 to 1 Wisket, 20 to 1 any other.

Minnetonka led from Dux Americanus, The Kid, Argosone, Pride of Priestown, and Ann B. for a couple of furlongs, when Dux Americanus went on in front of The Kid, Dame Rumour, and Ann B. Inside the distance The Kid and Ann B. closed with Dux Americanus, who, resisting their challenge, won by a head; half a length divided second and third, Dame Rumour came fourth, Argosone fifth, Sir Stingo sixth, Knocklong's Pride seventh, Minnetonka eighth, and Wisket next. Time—68 3-5 secs.

MULLINGAR RACES,

MONDAY NEXT, 10th MAY.

The course is in excellent order, and, with a splendid entry, a good day's sport is assured.

The usual fast special leaves Broadstone at 12.30 p.m. and the Curragh special leaves Kildare at 10.45 a.m.

For specially reduced fares and other specials see railway advertisements. —(Adv.)

PHŒNIX PARK.

TO-DAY'S SELECTIONS.

In view of the attractive character of the programme, it would appear to be tolerably safe to predict a pleasant afternoon's racing at Phœnix Park, and the meeting should provide an appropriate finale to "Punchestown week." The two-year-olds are, as is usual here, well catered for, and a moisty of the half-dozen events are set apart for them. Class is well represented in the Lodge Plate, and if such as Timbuctoo, Leander, Port Nelson and Don Pat are saddled, considerable interest will attach to the contest. A special train leaves Broadstone for Ashtown at 2.15 and returns at 6 o'clock. Selections are as follow:—

Clonsilla Plate—White Orb.
Clontarf Plate—Dark Warrior.
Clondalkin Plate—Indian Hero; if absent, Thyssus.
Lodge Plate—Timbuctoo or Port Nelson.
Castleknock Plate—Gravesner Happy Boy.
Castleknock Plate—Knocklong Boy or Ann B.

3.0—THE CLONSILLA PLATE of 100 sovs., of which the second receives 5 sovs. A handicap hurdle race. 2 m.

	Age	st. lb.
MAUREEN M. (Mr. L. Scott) ..... Perry	4	10 0
FORE AND AFT (Mr. H. Mosker) ..... Parkinson	5	9 4
KAINSTAT (Mr. J. J. Mason) ..... Combs	5	9 4
AMBROSE (Mr. J. Parkinson) ..... Owner	4	9 0
LARNE BOY (Mr. T. Mayo) ..... Moore	4	9 0
LEONORA (Mr. P. H. Cullen) ..... Doyle	3	8 4
ATHENAEUM (Mr. T. O'Gibbon) ..... Parkinson	3	8 2
WAITING (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) ..... Owner	3	8 2
CYCLE (Mr. T. Mayo) ..... Owner	3	8 0
SAME AGAIN (Mr. E. Delaey) ..... Owner	4	7 12
FLIP (Mr. H. Mosker) ..... Owner	4	7 12
AILERLOW (Mr. A. B. Coyle) ..... Fosbery	4	7 7

3.30—THE GLENTARF PLATE of 100 sovs., of which the second receives 5 sovs. and the third 2 sovs. For two years old. 5 f.

	st.	lb.
TAG END (Mr. H. I. Ussher) ..... Owner	8	13
DARK WARRIOR (Mr. H. I. Ussher) ..... Owner	8	13
JILL (Colonel Thompson) ..... Arnott	8	10
SWEETHEART (Mr. C. Hanshaw) ..... Behan	8	10
UNCLE HUGH (Mr. Ar. Lowry) ..... Dawson	8	7
METAL MAN (Mr. J. E. Purbjuse) ..... Parkinson	8	7
PASS OF PLUMES (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) ..... Owner	8	7
DOMBEY DARLING (Mr. T. Lee) ..... Owner	8	7
BLACK LACE (Mr. J. Mayo) ..... Owner	8	7
ATHGARVAN (Mr. D. J. Rogers) ..... Owner	8	7
BALLYGARIBET (Mr. Mr. Mosker) ..... Rogers	8	3
HASTY LADY (Mr. H. C. Mosker) ..... Stanbes	8	3
ROYAL HEROINE (Mr. H. F. Lyons) ..... Owner	8	3
BACHELOR'S LUCK (Mr. A. H. Macauley) ..... Owner	8	3
CRAFTY LADY (Mr. A. H. Macauley) ..... Owner	8	3
KILRUE (Mr. H. M. Hartigan) ..... Owner	8	3
THE NEEDLE (Mr. A. Lowry) ..... Owner	8	3
SEVENTH HEAVEN (Mr. G. Mosker) ..... Hunter	8	3
SQUARE TOWN (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) ..... Owner	8	3

4.0—THE GLONDALKIN PLATE of 100 sovs., of which the second receives 10 sovs. For two years old. 5 f.

	st.	lb.
OFFSIDE (Sib.) (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) ..... Owner	8	12
THYSSUS (Mr. S. J. Farr) ..... Pollard	8	10
SILVER TROUT (Mr. W. Barnett) ..... Behan	8	10
PRINCESS PEG (Mr. J. A. Farrell) ..... Owner	8	10
CORN TOY (Sib.) (Mr. C. Powell) ..... Parkinson	8	9
FULAHEL (Sib.) (Mr. J. V. Rowan) ..... Coombs	8	9
ADMINISTRATOR (Sib.) (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) ..... Owner	8	9
SANSFIELD'S SON (Sib.) (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) ..... Owner	8	9
INDIAN MEAD (Sib. and Sib.) (Mr. C. A. Stanbes) ..... Arnott	8	7
LONELY FLIGHT (Sib. and Sib.) (Mr. J. Stanbes) ..... Owner	8	7
ANTAEUS (Sib.) (Mr. Mr. Donnelly) ..... Owner	8	7
LOCH HUME (Sib.) (Mr. H. M. Hartigan) ..... Owner	8	7
BACHELOR'S DARLING (Sib.) (Mr. J. Stanbes) ..... Usher	8	5
CRAFTY LADY (Sib.) (Mr. A. H. Macauley) ..... Owner	8	5
HANOVERIAN (Sib.) (Mr. J. H. H. Peard) ..... Owner	8	5
GWAJA (Sib.) (Mr. J. T. Rogers) ..... Owner	8	5
ALTOS (Sib. and Sib.) (Mr. J. Peard) ..... Owner	8	5
CARLTON (Sib. and Sib.) (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) ..... Owner	8	5

4.30—THE CLONDALKIN PLATE of 100 sovs., of which the second receives 10 sovs. For two years old. 5 f.

	st.	lb.
SIMBUCTOO (Sir S. S. Murray) ..... Hunter	9	0
LEANDER (Mr. J. McAuley) ..... Coombs	9	0
RED TIDE (Mr. A. D. Conyal) ..... Usher	9	0
PARKGATE (Sir T. Dixon) ..... Behan	9	0
PARKGATE (Sir T. Dixon) ..... Behan	9	0
RUBY (Mr. H. S. Gray) ..... Behan	9	0
DON PAT (Mr. J. McAuley) ..... Coombs	9	0
SWEET GIFT (Mr. John O'Brien) ..... Coombs	8	12
GOLDEN ISMAL (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) ..... Owner	8	12
ARCHWAY (Mr. C. Wallis) ..... Reed	8	12
SAPPHIRE STONE (Mr. E. Power) ..... Doyle	8	12
DON PAT (Mr. ——) ..... Dorgan	8	12
ISOGACHEEV (Lieut. Dixon) ..... Behan	8	12
ISOGACHEEV (Lieut. Dixon) ..... Behan	8	12
SILVER TROUT (Mr. W. Barnett) ..... Rogers	8	12
ROSE OF MAY (Mr. J. Walsh) ..... Behan	8	12
CONNEMARA (Capt. R. B. Brassey) H. Harrigan	8	12
FRIARSTOWN (Capt. R. B. Brassey) H. Harrigan	8	12
HUNTING (Mr. J. Walsh) ..... Behan	8	12
HAPPY DALE (Mr. Jas. Rogers) ..... Macauley	8	12
CHIEF (Mr. J. Walsh) ..... Pelterson	8	12
WEST INDIES (Major Dixon) ..... Behan	8	12
GLADSTONE (Mr. S. Graham) ..... Hunter	8	12
BROWN BREAD (Mr. H. Bartlett) ..... Behan	8	12
THINK TWICE (Mr. J. Walsh) ..... Behan	8	12
TOY (Mr. J. Walsh) ..... Behan	8	12
NANOVERIAN (Mr. J. H. H. Peard) ..... Owner	8	12
GLISTENING ARMOUR (Mr. J. H. H. Peard) ..... Owner	8	12
GAINSHARE (Mr. H. M. Hartigan) ..... Owner	8	12
STRIPED SILKEN (Mr. Ed. Dunlavin) ..... Owner	8	12
BALLYBROPHY (Mr. J. T. Rogers) ..... Owner	8	12
MILLTOWN (Mr. J. T. Rogers) ..... Owner	8	12
GLENNSTOWN (Mr. J. T. Rogers) ..... Owner	8	12
CROYANSTOWN (Mr. J. T. Rogers) ..... Owner	8	12
PANAMA KING (Mr. J. Walsh) ..... Behan	8	12
CURRY CUTE (Motor Shirley) ..... Behan	8	12
BRIARFIELD (Mr. Mr. Spiood) ..... Barr	8	12
WESTGREEN (Mr. A. Turner) ..... Jeffs	8	12
GOLDEN QUEEN (Mr. H. Usher) ..... Owner	8	12
AWKWARD SERVITOR (Mr. H. Usher) ..... Owner	8	12

5.0—THE CASTLETOWN PLATE of 100 sovs. A selling handicap. 1 m.

	Age	st. lb.
ST. EMINENCE (Mr. M. C. Collins) Owner	5	9
TIPPERARY BOY (Mr. T. Doyle) ..... Owner	5	9
THE DUN MOUSE (Mr. R. Ryan) ..... Owner	5	9
STEVENS (Mr. E. Power) ..... Doyle	4	8 13
GROSVENOR'S REWARD (Mr. Parkinson)	4	8 6
AMBROSE (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) ..... Owner	4	8 6
CARLOVIA (Mr. J. Walsh) ..... Owner	4	8 6
NO JOKE (Mr. W. Coffey) ..... Perry	6	8 3
THE DRIVER (Mr. C. Ryan) ..... Owner	5	8 3
FRIGHTIST (Mr. J. Parkinson) ..... Owner	5	8 3
GROSVENOR HAPPY BOY (Mr. Parkinson)	4	8 3
BACHELOR'S HOBBY (Mr. A. Lowry)	4	8 1
FLYING LARRY (Mr. B. O'Donnell) Owner	4	7 7
AMBROSE (Mr. A. B. Coyle) ..... Fosbrd	5	7 7
10th HOLE (Mr. M. Reidy) ..... Dwyer	4	7 7
SIL (Mr. P. ——) ..... Owner	5	7 7

5.30—THE CASTLEKNOCK PLATE of 100 sovs., of which the second receives 10 sovs. and the third 5 sovs. A handicap hurdle race. 2 m.

	Age	st. lb.
KNOCKLONG BOY (Mr. W. Coffey) ..... Perry	5	12 0
MIRABEAU (Mr. J. C. Gallagher) ..... Parkinson	6	12 0
PROTECTIONIST (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) ..... Owner	5	8 12
NO DECEIT (Mr. J. J. M'Auley) ..... Owner	5	8 12
THE KID (Mr. L. Scott) ..... Perry	4	8 9
CAMOMILE (Mr. J. Walsh) ..... Behan	4	8 9
MARTEN'S PRODIGY (Capt. R. B. Brassey) H. Harrigan	5	8 7
RATHCOOLE (Mr. ——) ..... Ballard	5	8 7
INFANTA AINA (Mr. T. Coombs) ..... Coombs	5	8 7
BRIDESMAID (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) ..... Owner	5	8 7
DALKEMORE (Mr. A. H. Macauley) ..... Owner	5	8 7
FLYING GAY (Mr. J. Doyle) ..... Owner	5	8 7
ANN B. (Mr. A. B. Coyle) ..... Fosbrd	5	8 7
MIRAGE (Sib.) (Mr. J. A. Dodd) ..... Collins	5	7 11
FREEZELS (Sib.) (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) ..... Owner	5	7 11
CHARLEY'S NEPHEW (Sib.) (Mr. J. Peard) ..... Owner	5	7 11
KARINA (Sib.) (Mr. A. H. Peard) ..... Owner	5	7 11

CURRAGH TRAINING NOTES.

THE CURRAGH, Friday.

A dull morning.

FORDRED'S Louvain, Golden Sunburst, Tinnahill, Gosiin, Dominé, Japonica, Little Archer, Amatol, Gemfest and the two year olds were useful-employed over five furlongs.

BEHAN'S Peace River, Clough, Royal Vanity, Vesington Comet and Vesington Bee canvered five furlongs.

STAUNTON'S Dunesirn, Happy Jem, Happy Princess, Lord Wembley, Little Vera, Sweet Honora, Newtown Park, Noble Princess and Tear Coat had healthy exercise.

PARKINSON'S Bawn-as-Glas, Pearl Oyster, Lascmore, Lemond's Lake, Bridge of Athlone, Lowvixen, and Ambrose went six furlongs, as hallcaped: Princess Salome, Erin Green, Mirabeau, Fore and All, Helen Adair and Eloquent cantered steadily five furlongs.

DOYLE'S Snangyray and Tipperary Boy were sent six furlongs as a useful pace; Wild Arrow, May Orb, Fairray, Ezra, Stripes, Peacemaker, Leonora, Scarlet Silk, Scarlet Satin, Liska and Flying Gal were carefully employed five-8th six furlongs.

ROGERS'S Ballybamange and The Guleon went a mile steadily; Mobezanne, Sergeant Pink, Hawthorn, Hoarfist, White Orb, Elizabeth Fairing, Royal Miller, Peculiar, Parmee, Royal Irish, Goodlove and others of the string were given healthy exercise.

SELECTIONS FOR PHŒNIX PARK—TO-DAY.

Clonsilla Plate—LEONORA.
Clontarf Plate—KILRUE or BACHELOR'S LUCK.
Clondalkin Plate—THYSSUS.
Lodge Plate—LEANDER.
Castleknock Plate—STRIPER.
Castleknock Plate—MARTEN'S PRODIGY or NO DECEIT.

OFFICIAL SCRATCHINGS.

All published handicaps—Lady Biddy.
All engagements in Mr. W. A. Bankier's name—Master of Arts.
All engagements in Mr. T. Coulthwaite's name—Naptha.

PHŒNIX PARK CLUB RACES

SECOND MAY MEETING,
SATURDAY, MAY 15th.

In connection with next Saturday's meeting at Phœnix Park it should be noted that the first race is fixed for 4 o'clock. This arrangement will convenience foreigners who wish to visit the Spring Show at Ballsbridge earlier in the day. —(Advt.)

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2.30—MEMBERS' RACE (confined).
3.45—OPEN LIGHT-WEIGHT of £250.
3.45—STARLIGHT CHALLENGE CUP AND SWEEPSTAKES of £2 each, with £150 added, for ladies' riders.
4.30—OPEN HEAVY-WEIGHT of £45.
5.0—FARMERS' RACE (confined).

Horses carried at reduced rate and carried back free. Grooms carried free both ways on production of certificate and indemnity forms. Free stabling. Entry forms and full particulars from JOHN RAWL, Kilmoganny, Co. Kilkenny. —(Advt.)

SPORTING PARAGRAPHS.

Colonel A. J. Blake and Mr. I. J. Blake have registered a partnership in Talarea (Eyre).

J. Moylan was in good form in the saddle yesterday at Leopardstown, where he rode three winners.

In connection with Powerstown Park meeting a special train will leave Kingsbridge at 10.30 a.m. on Friday for Clonmel (racecourse siding), and returns at 8.40.

Mr. E. J. Hope has sold the promising young chaser, Prudent Pat, by Achter, out of Prudent Miss, to Wing Commander W. R. Read.

The Stewards of the Turf Club and of the I.N.H.S. Committee have granted Mr. L. Brabazon a licence as starter.

Messrs. P. Hannigan, D. O'M. Leahy, T. V. Ryan, Charles Walshe and B. L. Trayer have been given permission to ride under Rule 96 (i.) Rules of Racing.

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MULLINGAR MEETING.
MONDAY, MAY 10th.
ORDER OF RUNNING.

Donore Plate ..... 4 0 | Newtown Plate 4 0
Belvedere Plate ..... 5 0 | Railway Plate 4 30
Stewards' Plate ..... 5 30 | Mullingar Plate 4 55

NAAS MEETING.
TUESDAY, MAY 11th.

Newtown Plate ..... 2 45 | Punchestown Plate 4 10
Eadestown Plate ..... 3 15 | Craddoxtown Plate 4 35
Riverstown Plate ..... 3 45 | Harristown Plate.. 5 0

DUNDALK MEETING.
WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY, MAY 12th and 13th.
FIRST DAY.

Castletown Plate ..... 2 30 | Clermont Plate 4 0
Exchange Plate ..... 3 0 | Stewards' Plate 4 30
Macardle Memorial Cup ..... 3 30 | Dundalgan Plate.. 5 0

SECOND DAY.

Greenore Plate ..... 2 30 | Northern Plate 4 0
Castleellaghan Plate ..... 3 0 | Tally-ho Plate 4 30
Ravensdale Plate.. 3 30 | Mountain Plate 5 0

POWERSTOWN PARK MEETING.
FRIDAY, MAY 14th.

May Plate ..... 2 30 | County Plate 4 0
Stayers' Plate ..... 3 0 | Southern Plate 4 30
Stewards' Plate ..... 3 30 | Powerstown Plate.. 5 0

PHŒNIX PARK MEETING.
SATURDAY, MAY 15th.

Tamboyne Plate ..... 4 0 | Brooke Plate 5 30
Dollymount Plate.. 4 30 | Dalkey Plate 6 0
Drumcondra Plate.. 5 0 | Drumree Plate 6 30

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LAWN TENNIS.

IRELAND V. SPAIN.

DAVIS CUP TIE POSTPONED.

It has been found necessary to postpone the tie between Ireland and Spain in the second round of the Davis Cup competition, originally fixed for May 14th, 15th and 17th.

At a meeting of the Irish Committee, held at Fitzwilliam L.T.C. yesterday, the question of new dates was gone into very carefully, and it was decided to try and arrange to bring the Spaniards to Dublin in time to play the tie on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, May 20th, 21st and 22nd.

The task the committee have to face is no easy one. The only reduced train service in Ireland is the chief trouble, but, in addition, the Spanish Association have to agree to whatever arrangements are made, and the International Federation have to approve of them. Agreement is not made any more easy on the lack of the usual postal facilities.

Tennis leaders are informed that all tickets purchased will be available for whatever dates may be finally fixed.

BELGIUM v. HOLLAND.

NOORDWIJK, May 7.

Play in the first round tie of the Davis Cup competition between Belgium and Holland began here to-day, when each country won one singles. J. Washer (Belgium) beat Van Lennep (Holland), 4-6, 6-3, 6-4, 6-2. A. and H. Timmer (Holland) beat J. Laloux (Belgium), 6-1, 6-0, 6-1.

FRANCE v. UNITED STATES.

PARIS, Friday.

An agreement has now been come to between the French and United States Lawn Tennis Federation with regard to the form of the tennis matches between the two nations, to be played at the Croix Catelan, on May 25th, 29th and 30th. There will be four Men's Singles and one Men's Double, as in the Davis Cup, the matches, however, being limited to three sets; three Women's Singles, one Women's Double, and two Mixed Doubles.

The United States will be represented by Vincent Richards, Howard Kinsey, Miss Helen Wills, Miss Ryan, Mrs. Peacup, Miss Mary Browne and Miss Goss. The French team has not yet been chosen.

Miss Wills continues to train at the Racing Club every day when the weather permits. She has lately been measuring her strength against some of the best players of the club, and caused some surprise by beating Coulteau, who stands in the front rank of French Singles' players in straight sets. Miss Wills still seems to find some difficulty when faced with a short-cut ball, and is paying particular attention to this point.

BOROTRA'S ACCIDENT.

Borotra has recently been the victim of an accident, due to his extraordinary mobility. In endeavouring to take an impossible ball he crashed into the wire netting surrounding the court in front, and himself considerably. Given first aid by a doctor present, it is now certain that after a few days rest he will have recovered completely.

GREAT BRITAIN v. POLAND.

Great British title chase Poland in the first round of the Davis Cup. Polish team:—H. Grabowski, Great Britain—G. E. Croke Rice, C. G. N. Turnbull, C. H. Kingsley and F. T. Wheatley. Poland—Steinert, E. Kleinadel and S. Ostetwerlynski.

LEINSTER CLUB.—The courts of the L.C.C. Tennis Club, Bathmines, will be open for play to-day.

HANDBALL.

G.A.A. CHAMPIONSHIPS.

Two matches in the Intermediate Championship of the City and County Dublin were decided in the Castle Court yesterday evening. The first to the conclusion as an unfinished match between T. Mullen (U.C.D.) and J. O'Reilly (D.M.G.). When they started yesterday evening Mullen won two games up and O'Reilly one. After a fine struggle O'Reilly won the first game, equalising by 21-19, and winning the second by 21-12 he gained the rubber. Mullen played good handball, but a scotch knee of O'Reilly's perplexed his opponent, and gained a number of aces for him.

The second match was between J. Nolan (D.M.G.) and M. Mullen (U.C.D.), and was won by Nolan, after a well-contested rubber, by 21-14, 21-7, 21-15. Mullen's killing was very good at times but the all-round play of Nolan was superior, and he made matters very awkward by good scotching.

In the Depôt, Sergeant J. McGrath (Civic Guards) had charge of the inter-club matches between D.M.G. and St. Patrick's, in which the D.M.G. won three points.

Maloney and J. Maher (D.M.G.) beat K. Mallon and D. McGinley (St. Patrick's), 21-5, 21-15.

D. Berry and T. Terrance (D.M.G.) beat G. Smith and M. G. McColgan (St. Patrick's), 21-11, 21-7.

J. McHale and M. Canon (D.M.G.) beat J. Hanohan and K. Mallon (St. Patrick's), 21-20, 21-5.

ATHLETICS.

DUBLIN UNIVERSITY H. AND A. CLUB.

The members of the Dublin University Harrier and Athletic Club are more enthusiastic than ever this year, and yesterday, despite the unfavourable weather, there was a large turn-out in the College Park.

Three events were on the programme:—220 Yards, Half-Mile and High Jump—but, owing to the heavy state of the ground, the Jump had to be postponed till Tuesday next.

There was a large turn-out in the 220 Yards, which was run in four heats. The final was won by F. Lawrence, off the 16 yards mark, the scratch man. R. B. Woods, being second, and O'Donnell (10 yards) third. There were 18 competitors in the Half-Mile, and an interesting race resulted in R. B. Pike (3 yards) winning from S. B. Weinberger, with G. F. Kidd close up, third. Details:—

220 Yards, Final—J. F. Lawrence (16), 1st; R. B. Woods (scr.), 2nd; T. O'Donnell (10), 3rd. Won easily.

Half-Mile—R. B. Pike (3), 1st; S. B. Weinberger (20), 2nd; G. F. Kidd (40), 3rd. 18 competed.

POLO.

ALL IRELAND CLUB.

To-day—Practice at 4 o'clock.

ASSOCIATION.

THE FIXTURES.
FREE STATE SHIELD.

Shelbourne v. Brey Unknowns. Shelbourne Park.
Bohemians v. Athlone. Dalymount Park.
TO-MORROW.
Shamrock Rovers v. Fordsons. James's Park, 2.30.

LEINSTER SENIOR LEAGUE—I.

Pembroke v. Glendalk. The Thatch.
Bohemians v. St. Pauls. Ballymun.
James's Gate v. Bennsville. James's Park.
University College v. Linden. Terenure.

YACHTING.

THE WATER WAGS.

The second race on the programme will be sailed this afternoon over the club course in Kingstown Harbour, first gun 3.45 p.m. All boats will be at scratch, last Saturday's fixture falling through on account of weather.

CRICKET.

RAIN AGAIN STOPS PLAY.

Rain again acted as a spoil sport in English cricket yesterday. At Leyton two brief spells of play took place. The Australians lost another wicket for six runs, and Collins declared during a long wait. Hoare had Cutmore incapacitated by a blow on the arm in Gregory's second over, and with two wickets down for 5 runs, heavy rain prevented further play, the match being abandoned at 4 o'clock.

The Old Trafford ground was altogether unfit for cricket, following heavy rain for some hours

PURCHASES FOR FREE STATE ARMY.

REPORT ON MR. F. W. FITZGERALD'S TRANSACTIONS.

REMARKABLE STATEMENTS BY WITNESSES.

IMMEDIATELY after the adjournment of the Dail yesterday afternoon, deputies were supplied from the Clerk's Office with copies of the interim and final reports of the Public Accounts Committee, together with a summary of the Committee's proceedings, minutes of evidence, and appendices. The volume consisted of 425 closely-printed pages.

Both the interim report and the final report already have been published in these columns. With the present publication of the relevant evidence and memoranda it is possible to comprehend pretty clearly the various aspects of national and departmental housekeeping touched upon in the Committee's final report.

Under the heading, "Warlike Stores," there appeared in the Committee's final report (published in the *Irish Times*) some weeks ago the following paragraphs:—

"In his report the Comptroller and Auditor-General states that a sum of £8,305 paid over to the Ministry of Finance, has been charged to the Army account, under sub-head 9, Warlike Stores, but no vouchers or other documents having been produced to support the payment, he had no means of verifying the admissibility of the sum. The reference is to payments of two sums—viz., £5,045 in October, 1923, and £3,260 in February, 1924, both being paid to the credit of Mr. F. W. Fitzgerald, London, in respect of transactions in chemicals and arms."

Further on the Committee stated that it was not satisfied that there was any liability to pay the sum of £8,125 for 2,500 revolvers or to accept delivery of them two and a half years after the proposal to purchase them was made. The Committee further was "not satisfied that there was any liability for a sum of £2,250 advanced on account of a projected purchase of 10,000 rifles," nor was it satisfied "that there was any liability to pay £2,260 for chemicals said to be stored in London from September 1st, 1923, to December, 1924 (part), and April, 1925 (part)."

The Committee recommended to the Dail that the sum of £8,305, referred to by the Auditor-General, should be disallowed, and made the comment that every item in the account and "almost every incident in connection with the transactions" called for adverse comment.

GENERAL REMARKS.

THE ORIGINAL PAYMENT.

The Committee's report on the subject concluded with the following general remarks:—

"The original payment of £10,000, made out of Army funds to enable purchases to be made, was itself irregular, but might have been excusable by the circumstances of the time (June, 1922) if that irregularity had stood alone. The absence of records of the orders given, as to price or description, might also, possibly, be passed over, as was done in respect of other accounts examined last year, in view of the stress of circumstances prevailing at the time the transactions were entered upon. But the failure to take cognisance of facts brought to the notice of the Army authorities respecting the prices being paid by the merchant who supplied the goods and the profits being made on the transfer to the Army; the acceptance of liability for goods not delivered; the payment, months after the stress of war conditions had passed, of £5,000 'on account,' when sanction given by the Finance Department was for payment of such a sum 'in settlement' of a doubtful or a disputed claim; the ignoring of the authority of the Accountant Officer (Army Finance Office); the payment of the moneys by the Department of Finance and the subsequent imperative direction from that Department to the Army Finance Officer to repay the amount out of the Army Vote; the failure to make satisfactory arrangements to obtain delivery of the goods for which the £5,000 was a payment; and, in the final stage, the acceptance of goods, for which payment had already been made, of a quality different from and inferior to those invoiced—all these considerations render it impossible for the same leniency to be extended as was done in respect of other transactions having their origin about the same period.

"(viii) It may appear that other considerations than would legitimately come into the purview of the Accounting Officers concerned or of this Committee are held to warrant payment of the sums in question. If such be the case, it becomes a matter for the Dail to decide, after the Minister has submitted his case to the Dail."

So much of the Committee's final report it is necessary to recall for a proper understanding of the volume now published. It would appear from the summary of the proceedings accompanying the minutes of evidence that the Committee began its consideration of the Army Appropriation Account on the 16th of February last, and on that date it was decided to inform Mr. F. Fitzgerald, of Union Works, Union street, Stratford, London, of the investigations proceeding "with reference to the purchase of arms by him in 1922, and to ask him whether he desired to be heard by the Committee." To assist its inquiry, the Committee requested the Comptroller and Auditor-General to prepare a memorandum for the Committee in respect of the matter. The Committee also called for the production of the departmental files relating to the transactions in question, and appointed a Sub-Committee, consisting of Deputies McCullough, Esmonde, and Conor Hogan, with the chairman, Deputy Johnson, to examine them.

AUDITOR-GENERAL'S MEMORANDUM.

MR. FITZGERALD'S PURCHASES.

It may be as well to start with the memorandum of the Auditor-General." After examining the relevant papers and documents in the possession of the Army Finance Office and the Department of Finance, he reported in the course of this memorandum as follows:

In June, 1922, arrangements were made by the military authorities in Dublin with Mr. Francis W. Fitzgerald, trading as Messrs. Senior, Crozier and Company, Union Works, Union street, Stratford, London, for the purchase of Hotchkiss guns, revolvers, rifles and ammunition, and an imprest of £10,000 was advanced to Mr. Fitzgerald by the Quartermaster-General, from Army Funds, to enable him to make the purchase. From the papers it appears that no written instructions were given.

In addition to the arrangement for the purchase of arms and ammunition Mr. Fitzgerald continued to supply chemicals to the Army as he had been doing previously.

Mr. Fitzgerald purchased from Messrs. Soley and Company, Jewin street, London, in July and August, 1922, the following:—5 Hotchkiss guns, which he invoiced to the Army for £1,000 (the invoice in this case is from the Lavergent Company, Union Works, Union street, Stratford, London, of which company Mr. Fitzgerald was stated to be a partner); 2,500 revolvers, which he invoiced to the Army for £8,125, and he paid to this firm a sum of £2,250 to enable them to secure a definite option from the Disposals Board on the purchase of 10,000 rifles. The purchase of the rifles was never completed, but they were invoiced to the Army by Mr. Fitzgerald for £27,500.

Mr. Fitzgerald does not appear to have made the purchases from Messrs. Soley direct, but through a Mr. J. F. White, who states that the price paid by him for the five Hotchkiss guns was £750, and that the price of the 2,300 revolvers was £4,600, or £2 each, and the price of the 10,000 rifles was £20,000.

In October, 1923, a further payment of £5,045 was made to Mr. Fitzgerald out of public funds. At this date none of the arms or ammunition had been delivered in Dublin, but were stated to be in store in London. In addition, chemicals invoiced at £2,260 were stated to be in store in London. The total of invoices for chemicals purchased by Mr. Fitzgerald between May, 1922, and September, 1923, amounted to £8,329, of which chemicals invoiced at £6,069 had been delivered in Dublin.

From the papers it is not clear why the payment of £5,045 was made to Mr. Fitzgerald, but apparently it was on the understanding that he would deliver the arms, ammunition, and the remainder of the chemicals, or sell them, if so directed by the Free State authorities, though no written undertaking to this effect was obtained from him.

In February, 1924, telegrams were received from Mr. Fitzgerald that he had been served with bankruptcy papers and pressed for an immediate payment of the balance of his account. It subsequently came to light that only a notice had been served on Mr. Fitzgerald, not a petition.

Mr. Fitzgerald appears to have paid Messrs. Soley only £500 on account of the purchase of the revolvers, and the latter obtained a judgment for £1,790 in respect of 1,053 revolvers and later two further judgments for £3,125 17s. 0d. and £22 2s. 0d. costs in respect of the remaining 1,447 revolvers. The judgment for £1,790 appears to have been satisfied by Mr. Fitzgerald. When the second judgments were obtained a person named O'Brien issued an interpleader on the grounds that the revolvers which had been seized by the Sheriff on foot of the judgments had been sold to him. At the hearing, however, neither Mr. Fitzgerald nor Mr. O'Brien appeared, and Messrs. Soley obtained costs against Mr. Fitzgerald.

AN AGREEMENT.

On the 20th February, 1924, it was agreed with Mr. Fitzgerald that he would deliver the 2,500 revolvers and the chemicals in consideration of the Ministry of Finance paying him £1,400 and paying to Messrs. W. Soley the amount of that firm's claim against him. In pursuance of this agreement the Ministry of Finance, on 21st February, 1924, paid to Messrs. Soley's solicitor the sum of £3,220 in settlement of the judgment, debts and costs and subsequent legal expenses. The receipt was given in favour of Mr. Fitzgerald, and it stated thereon that Mr. O'Brien had no claim. £240 was paid in respect of the sheriff's and auctioneer's charges, but the payment of £1,400 to Mr. Fitzgerald was withheld pending delivery.

On 22nd February, 1924, Mr. Fitzgerald personally removed the revolvers from Messrs. Soley's premises. He refused, however, to hand over to the Free State officials either the revolvers or the chemicals which were now in his possession unless he was paid a further sum of £700 in addition to the £1,400 already agreed upon. The grounds on which the claim for £700 is based are not clear from the papers, but in fact he did not appear to have any claim.

Steps were then taken to institute proceedings against Mr. Fitzgerald for delivery of the revolvers and chemicals and to enforce the agreement of 20th February, 1924.

The firm of Messrs. Senior, Crozier and Company, of which Mr. Fitzgerald was the proprietor, was turned into a limited company and a claim for payment of debts due to Mr. Fitzgerald by the Free State was received from a firm of accountants on behalf of the new company. Payment was claimed as a matter of urgency as a Receiving Order had been made against Mr. Fitzgerald by a firm who had supplied him with explosives.

On 17th December, 1924, Mr. Fitzgerald wrote to the Chief State Solicitor, and informed him that he was prepared to carry out the agreement of 20th February, 1924, and to hand over the revolvers and chemicals in exchange for the payment of the £1,400 agreed upon. This sum was paid to him on 19th December, 1924, and he gave a receipt stating that the goods handed over were of the kind and quality specified. An undertaking was also signed by him that if he recovered from Messrs. Soley and Co. the sum of £2,250 paid as deposit on the rifles, or any sum, he was to refund 50 per cent. of the amount recovered to the Free State Government.

THE CHEMICALS.

The revolvers and chemicals were handed over on 19th December, 1924. The revolvers were forwarded to Dublin, where on arrival it was found that 61 were missing. The chemicals, with the exception of 224 cwts. of potassium chlorate, were stored in London with a view to disposal there. The potassium chlorate was stated by Mr. Fitzgerald to be warehoused on his behalf with a London Chemical Company and a Delivery Order on this firm was given by Mr. Fitzgerald, but it was found that the chemicals were not stored at the address given. After lengthy correspondence and threat of legal proceedings, the chemicals were delivered by Mr. Fitzgerald from his premises in Stratford in April, 1925.

Arrangements were then made for the sale of the chemicals in London. The 111 tons 4 cwts. of potassium chlorate invoiced at £55 a ton were found on analysis to be potassium perchlorate admixed with impurities, and were sold to Messrs. Nobel Industries, Ltd., for £13 a ton or £145 12s. 0d. which was the best price obtainable. The remainder of the chemicals stored in London was sold to the same firm for £181 4s. 6d. The gross amount realised was, therefore. £326 16s. 6d.

SUMMARY OF TRANSACTIONS.

The following is a summary of the transactions with Mr. Fitzgerald from May, 1922, to the date of this report, as shown by the papers submitted to me:—

There was paid to Mr. Fitzgerald direct or on his behalf sums amounting to £19,705. The payments were made as follows:—

June, 1922, £10,000 from Army Vote.
October, 1923, £5,045;
February, 1924, £3,260—advanced by Ministry of Finance, and recovered subsequently from Army Vote, 1923-1924.
December, 1924, £1,400—advanced by Ministry of Finance and recovered from Army Vote, 1924-1925.

Against these payments Mr. Fitzgerald supplied or undertook to supply:—

(1) Chemicals, invoiced at £6,069, which were delivered to the National Army. The papers referred to me do not state how these chemicals have been disposed of.
(2) Chemicals, invoiced at £2,260, which were subsequently sold in London for £326 16s. 6d. On analysis the bulk of these chemicals was found to be different and inferior to the specification.
(3) 2,500 revolvers, invoiced at £8,125, and purchased from Messrs. Soley for (apparently) £5,415.

(Mr. White, who bought the revolvers for Mr. Fitzgerald, says the price agreed upon for 2,300 was £4,600.)

(4) Five Hotchkiss guns, invoiced at £1,000, for which Mr. Fitzgerald paid £750. These guns were confiscated by the British authorities in London and were never delivered to the National Army; and
(5) He paid, through Mr. White, £2,250 to Messrs. Soley and Co., to purchase an option on 10,000 rifles from the Disposals Board. A despatch from the British Colonial Office says no option was purchased from the Disposals Board, and pressure is now being brought on Mr. Fitzgerald for the return of this sum.

THE EVIDENCE.

MR. WHITE ON GETTING ARMS.

Mr. J. F. White, London, was examined by the Committee on the 19th of March. He said that during the period when the "Black-and-Tans" were in Ireland there was a great shortage of weapons in this country, and emissaries were sent to England for the purpose of getting arms. He came in contact with some of these, and with one in particular, who passed in England as Pat McMahon. Witness understood that his name was Matt Barry, and that he belonged to the Mid-Limerick Brigade of the I.R.A. Barry explained to witness that the shortage of weapons was very great, and that it was very urgent that an effort should be made to provide him with arms and ammunition. Being an Irishman, and feeling very strongly about the position of affairs in Ireland at the time, witness thought it his duty to co-operate in doing this, and he was instrumental in getting small supplies. For a time he had an office in London, which he placed at the disposal of Commandant Barry.

Just before the Treaty an attempt was made to seize arms from the Guards' barracks at Windsor. Four men were arrested, and were afterwards sentenced to heavy terms of imprisonment. Witness proposed to Fitzgerald that if risks were to be run the thing should be done on a bigger scale. He got in touch with a firm in London—a firm of professional gun-runners. They had a lot of ex-Army stuff which they had bought, and which they were at that time supplying to various countries like Greece and one of the South American Republics. He mentioned this to Mr. Fitzgerald, who asked him to meet him one day in the Four Provinces Club. Witness met him there, and he had brought with him a man whose name was given as Sean Golden, who said that he was Assistant Director of Purchases for the I.R.A. at the time. Golden told him that large supplies of arms were necessary, and he gave him a list which embraced automatic pistols, machine guns, quick-firers, etc.

"When Golden gave me this list," said Mr. White, "he said it was urgently necessary to get the arms. I was given to understand that these rifles were required for use in anticipation of trouble with Ulster.

"I was even told by Fitzgerald that the intention was to arm the irregulars, and that in order to do that the rifles supplied by the British Government could not be used, because every British rifle is stamped with a number, and if one were lost and afterwards recovered it could be identified.

"The intention was to buy arms privately, and to supply the irregulars with those."

Witness opened negotiations with the firm of gun-runners, and obtained certain offers. Golden told him that these offers were to be submitted to Mr. Fitzgerald, who was constantly travelling between Dublin and London. An offer was made and taken up seriously for 2,300 revolvers at £2 each. Witness had a receipt for £750 paid for five Hotchkiss guns. Witness read a letter from the dealers regretting that they were unable to come to any arrangements "whereby your connections can settle the matter of '45' offer, especially as the price we submitted is, we venture to think, exceedingly low."

PACKED IN BARRELS.

That offer of revolvers was accepted by Mr. Fitzgerald, and arrangements were made, after a great deal of negotiation, that the revolvers were to be packed in barrels and delivered to a warehouse which they selected. Fitzgerald made an appointment to take up the revolvers which he did not keep. He broke several other appointments as well. Subsequently they got into touch with the dealers, who informed them that the revolvers were sold and could not be supplied. Then Mr. Fitzgerald said to him: "Well, now, I have told the people on the other side that I have got these revolvers, and I must produce them." He gave witness £600 in cash to take to the dealers to try to induce them to let him have a small number of them. The dealers refused to give a partial delivery, and the result was that the revolvers were never taken up at all. No money was paid upon that, and the revolvers were never bought.

"The next I heard of the revolvers," said witness, "was when I read that they were bought up afterwards and £3 5s. each paid for them."

RIFLES IN "THE TOWER."

In August, 1922, he received an offer for rifles. They had been negotiating for the purchase of 10,000 303 rifles, 1910 pattern, which were stored in the Tower of London, and which could be bought. The dealer said that he could obtain these rifles, and arrangements were made whereby he was to purchase these rifles, and they were to be placed in a van, with the driver under our control, who could take them away afterwards. A deposit of £2,250 was paid as part payment of those rifles. I have the original receipt here made out to me. It is dated 2nd August, 1922."

As the result of that deposit, witness undertook to purchase outright and deliver those 10,000 rifles to a public warehouse, as soon as the balance of the purchase money (less the £2,250) had been placed in the bank. The price of the rifles was £2 each. It was agreed that witness was to get 5 per cent. commission upon the total purchases.

In March, 1923, a man called to see him at the Four Provinces Club. He was a man through whom Fitzgerald was doing a good deal in the way of supplying chlorate of potash. Witness told him that the price of chlorate of potash was £28 9s. 0d. per ton, and the man told him that Fitzgerald was supplying them with it at £55 per ton. Witness thought that the man was a free State. So far as witness knew, Mr. Golden was acting for his principals on this side.

Answering Mr. Hewat, the witness said that the price of the revolvers was to be £2 each, but they were subsequently bought at £3 5s. 0d. each; and in the case of the Hotchkiss guns the price was to be £50, but they paid £1,000 for them. "I consider," said the witness, "that that is a very excessive profit, considering that Mr. Fitzgerald took no risks in the matter at all: he threw the onus on me." Witness had no knowledge whatsoever of what Mr. Fitzgerald bought.

MR. WHITE'S LETTER.

THE PURCHASE TRANSACTIONS.

An appendix (X.) to the report contains a letter, addressed by Mr. White on 19th of September, 1922, to Major-General MacMahon, the then Chief of Staff. In the course of this letter Mr. White stated that previous to the Treaty he had rendered such assistance to the Mid-Limerick Brigade of the I.R.A. as he was able to render, and had placed at the disposal of the Brigade's representative (Commandant Patrick Barry) in England the sole use of one of his offices in St. Martin's lane, London. "The actual number of revolvers I secured," the letter continued, "was small, as I was obliged to secure these from English ex-officers; but after careful inquiry I found an Englishman in the armaments business who was able to lay his hand upon large quantities, and who had no scruples about gun-running. . . . I mentioned to Mr. Fitzgerald that I had this connection, and shortly after the Treaty he introduced me to Mr. Shan Golden (Assistant Director of Purchases) in the Four Provinces Club, London, as a man who could render assistance in securing the goods of which Mr. Golden was in search. Mr. Golden gave me a long list of the articles required, and I undertook the work of finding them."

Mr. White went on to say that he had been instructed by Mr. Golden to proceed "to secure suitable offers," and to make those offers through Mr. Fitzgerald, as the last-named was in frequent touch with Dublin. Having detailed his efforts to secure offers of "practically everything that was required," Mr. White mentioned that the first which interested Mr. Fitzgerald was the offer of 2,300 Webley revolvers at £2 each. Mr. Fitzgerald asked him to find a suitable warehouse for hiding the goods, and he did so. Finally Mr. Fitzgerald agreed to the purchase, and fixed an appointment "with the English merchant, when he and I were to attend with the cash and secure the goods." Mr. Fitzgerald did not keep the appointment, and, in fact, postponed it several times, although repeatedly informed that the merchant had an offer from the Brazilian Government. Eventually when Mr. Fitzgerald did start out for the interview with the dealer it was too late, as the latter informed him over the telephone that the goods had been sold to the Brazilian Government the day before.

THE CLAIM FOR PAYMENT.

"So far as my part in the matter was concerned," the letter continued, "I had done everything humanly possible to bring the business to a successful conclusion, and Mr. Fitzgerald agreed that I should receive the commission upon the deal, and actually made an appointment with me at his office, when the sum due (actually, he suggested £250, instead of £230) should be paid to me. I have not had already paid on account of my out-of-pocket expenses. When I arrived at his office, however, he informed me that the keys of his safe had been lost, and he could not get a cheque. The next day he told me that he had reconsidered the matter. He said that he had informed the Q.M.G. in Dublin that he had actually purchased the 2,300 revolvers, and that they were in his possession, and that, therefore, he must secure a similar lot immediately, as deliveries would be expected in Dublin. He made the same statement to the English merchant, and said that he was willing to pay a much higher price to get possession of a number of similar revolvers, as his position in Dublin had become difficult, he feeling that deliveries were being looked for. At the same time, he told me that, in view of the heavier price he expected to pay, he did not intend to pay my commission. He stated that he had already paid £400 in commission to Irishmen placed between himself and G.H.Q., Dublin, which, he said, would be a dead loss to himself. I made every effort to secure a further supply, but the best offer I could get was an offer to manufacture them in Spain, which would take several weeks, and Mr. Fitzgerald wanted immediate delivery. Mr. Fitzgerald now insists that the whole transaction was a purely commercial one—no actual purchase, no commission. . . .

I, therefore, claim as due to me, without forfeiting a particle of my pride as an Irishman, the sum of £250, less £60 already paid, and I am perfectly willing that my claim should be judged by Irishmen, who have no respect for the man who wishes to make a profit out of his country's needs. . . .

I am aware that you cannot officially recognise any of these transactions, and I do not ask you to do so. I ask that Mr. Fitzgerald be ordered to pay to me the sums due immediately or as soon as the statements herein made are verified. I have drawn up this statement carefully, and am prepared to swear to the truth of every detail before the altar, if necessary, and if any are denied by Mr. Fitzgerald, I would ask that opportunity be given for proofs to be adduced. . . .

MEANT FOR ULSTER.

Mr. Fitzgerald informed me that, whereas the Free State could purchase rifles openly from Mr. Cope of the British Government, it was desired to obtain a large number secretly for use against Ulster so that, in the event of any of these rifles being lost in battle, they could not be identified as having been supplied to the Free State. As you are aware, a complete record is kept of every British Army rifle, and the loss of a single one might cause very grave complication. But as these rifles were to be sold to me, which sale would be recorded for police inspection in the English gun dealers' books, it is perfectly clear that the first rifle lost in operations in Ulster would bring the whole transaction home to me immediately. It is idle for Mr. Fitzgerald, who would be completely covered in the transaction, to pretend that, in this deal, I was taking any but the gravest risk not only from imprisonment by the English police, but from murder by the Orange parties. I may say that as a family man—but from no other point of view as the personal risk does not trouble me—I have suffered the gravest anxiety over this matter, but I felt it had to be done.

I have been notified by the gun dealer that the Disposals Board have withdrawn the option, and he now proposes to make a claim upon me for loss of profit and compensation, the rifles having been held ready for delivery at a moment's notice, till the option expired. This option was closed immediately after the Hotchkiss case, I believe, which shows that the police connected the two transactions.

Mr. Fitzgerald informed me that he had means of getting the rifles secretly to Ireland, but did not disclose these, and I did not question him, as my part of the transaction was to procure the goods and accept responsibility for their purchase, under the licence of Mr. Pollock (referred to as the man who was paid to take out a licence). These duties I have fulfilled, and I now leave the matter in your hands, with the single request that you will not accept any statement Mr. Fitzgerald may make as final, without a fair investigation.

GENERAL MULCAHY AND THE COMMITTEE.

REFUSAL TO ATTEND.

After the examination of Mr. White, the Public Accounts Committee adjourned until the 31st March, 1926. When it re-assembled on that date, Deputy Johnson (the chairman) mentioned that the Clerk of the Committee had written to General Mulcahy requesting his attendance as a witness. General Mulcahy, in the course of his reply, stated: "In the matter of the purchase of the arms and chemicals referred to, I have not any information which is not in the possession of the Department of Defence, and which cannot be obtained by the Committee from that Department. I do not, therefore, propose to attend the Committee's meeting to-morrow morning."

In his reply to that letter, the Clerk of the Committee stated: "Your letter of to-day's date, dealing with the question of your attendance before the Committee, has been received and submitted to the chairman. In reply, he wishes to remind you that the Committee has been specifically authorised to send for persons, papers and records, with a view to aiding it in the discharge of its work. It is essential to bear in mind the nature of the work discharged by the Committee. . . . The work of the Committee may, in fact, be regarded as the sign of the sovereignty of the Executive. He profoundly regrets, in consequence, that you have thought fit to refuse to attend, as requested, for the purpose of helping to elucidate the matters brought out in the report of Comptroller and Auditor-General, and explained to you in the letter of yesterday's date. This refusal is unique in the history of the Dail, and is, in his opinion, a grave fact, having regard to the high position and responsibilities lately held by you, and to your present position as Deputy. He feels that the example of your refusal may be harmful to the free development of Parliamentary institutions. . . ."

To this General Mulcahy made the following response:—"In reply to your letter of to-day's date, I desire to refer you again to my letter of this morning, and to say that I hope, in spite of what you chairman may feel about it, that it may be found to be a contribution to what you call 'the free development of Parliamentary institutions,' a matter in which I am at least as interested as is the chairman."

This correspondence having been read by Deputy Johnson to the Committee, witnesses were called for examination.

The first was Mr. T. Gorman, Army Finance Officer. Asked by the chairman if he accepted responsibility as accounting officer, for the payment of the £8,305 referred to by the Auditor-General, he replied that the payments were made by direct instruction of the Department of Finance. In reply to further questions, witness said that he received direct instruction in the form of a minute at first he demurred to the payment, as he had had nothing whatever to do with the actual negotiations leading up to the payment. He had not been able to find any records of the purchases made at the time. A search had been made but no record of the type of article required or of negotiations as to price or period of delivery had been found. Witness imagined that the proceedings were verbal.

Mr. Walter Doolin, of the Department of Finance, gave evidence that he represented the Department in treating with Mr. Fitzgerald in London in February, 1924, and again in December of the same year. In the account that he was sent over to settle there was an item representing £2,260 to cover certain chemicals said to be stored in London. Witness did not take any means of checking whether that quantity was in store, as there were no means by which he could do so; his function was not to check, it was to get delivery of the goods lying to the order of the Department of Defence in London.

Mr. Sean Golden also gave evidence.

Further excerpts from the Committee's report will be given in future issues of the *Irish Times*.

NORTHERN IRELAND EXCHEQUER.

BALANCE OF £12,764.

The Northern Ireland Exchequer return for the month of April, issued last night, shows that the balance in the Exchequer on the 30th ult. was £12,764. The revenue and receipts from all sources for the month was £1,128,768, of which £36,756 was Customs and Excise, and £55,436 inland revenue. There was an Imperial grant in aid of the Special Constabulary of £66,000, while the Ulster Saving Certificates produced £48,000.

On the expenditure side, education absorbed £285,000; old age pensions, £90,000; the Royal Ulster Constabulary, £70,000; the Special Constabulary, £55,000; while £105,000 was lent to the unemployment fund.

The unveiling of the War Memorial to the Jewish men who fell in the Great War, by Viscount Allenby, arranged for next Sunday at the London Synagogue, has been cancelled.

CLOSE OF THE FEIS CEOIL.

TENOR WINS DRAMATIC SOLO COMPETITION.

McCALL CUP, BASS AND SENIOR PIANO CONTESTS.

The closing day of the Feis Ceoil showed no waning in popular interest. On the contrary, the dramatic solo singing in the Metropolitan Hall, which was the final event last night, was witnessed by the largest audience of the whole festival. Earlier in the day in the same hall the solo singing in Irish for the P. J. McCall Cup and the bass solo contest were decided. In the Abbey Lecture Hall the day was devoted to the senior pianoforte competition.

Dramatic Solo Singing.—Special prize for dramatic solo singing—Silver Cup, presented by the Rathmines and Rathgar Musical Society, and honorary membership of the society for one year. Open to all voices. Won by Mr. Patrick Kirwan, 3 Clarinda Park West, Kingstown (94 marks). Highly commended—Mr. Leo Brill, 88 Donore terrace, North Circular road, Dublin (93 marks), and Miss Lelia Fineberg, Dalkey Lodge, Dalkey (90 marks). Commended—Miss Sylvia Fannin, 37 Herbert Park, Dublin (86 marks).

Mr. Robert Radford, who adjudicated, said that among the younger candidates the gesture was far too much. Some of the work presented had been very good indeed. No. 4—Miss Fannin—in the Mad Margaret scene from "Ruddigore" had acted splendidly, with great histrionic ability, but the voice was a little too weak. Of No. 9 (Miss Fineberg), in the mad scene from "Lucia di Lammermoor," the adjudicator said that the performance was beautiful, well studied, and exceedingly well done; but under pressure the voice took on a certain *tremolo*. Then they had a very fine rendering of the Prologue to "Pagliacci" by No. 7 (Mr. Leo Brill)—perhaps a little over-sentimentalised.

Referring then to Mr. Patrick Kirwan's performance of a scene from "The Lily of Killarney," Mr. Radford said—I think myself that this was splendid. (Applause.) He actually was Myles. He looked it; and that beautiful colour of the voice just suited it. I have the greatest pleasure in awarding him the prize.

Mr. Radford then, to the delight of the audience, himself sang three songs—Osmin's song from "Il Seraglio" (Mozart), Don Bartolo's song from "Le Nozze di Figaro" (Mozart), and the Irish air. "The Donovans."

A TYPICAL FOLK SINGER.

P. J. McCall Memorial Cup, for Solo Singing with Irish Words.—Won by No. 6, Miss Sheila Kelly, Donabate, Co. Dublin. Highly commended—No. 19, Denis Cox, 4 Raymond street, South Circular road, Dublin, and No. 20, John Platt, 5 Ardan Brighde, Dublin.

Mr. Eamonn O'Neill, who judged the Irish pronunciation, said that the competitors coming up now seemed to know what they were singing about. There was a very considerable and very great improvement in the pronunciation.

Professor Granville Bantock said that in the lady and two gentlemen he had recalled they had three exceptionally good singers. They had to regard this folk song competition from the musical point of view as well as from the language point of view. The last singer (No. 20) was doing extremely valuable work in the preservation of the old folk song. He was the real folk singer. Rhythm, melody and harmony were the three essentials—like faith, hope and charity—but rhythm was the first and greatest. It was certainly much more satisfactory in the case of the young lady. Her grace notes and phrasing were handled with ease, and one felt she was singing without any difficulty.

Mrs. P. J. McCall, who was present, presented the Cup to the winner, amidst applause.

Song with Irish Harp Accompaniment.—Cup presented by Miss C. Townshend (3 entries).—Won by Miss Margaret O'Donoghoe, 39 Fontenoy street, Dublin (90 marks); 2nd, Miss Frances O'Donovan, 26 Barrett's Buildings, Cork (85 marks); 3rd, Miss Annie Ryan, 1 Helena Villa, North Mall, Cork (80 marks).

Professor Granville Bantock said it was a very interesting experience to hear the Irish harp. His difficulties as adjudicator were increased by the fact that he did not know the language in which the songs were sung, but he was assured by Mr. O'Neill that the three competitors sang as if they knew their language. He had no hesitation in awarding the cup.

Ladies' Trio in Irish (11 entries).—Test: Ban Cinoic Eireann Ogh (O. Macsmuard).—1st, No. 11, Aquinas Trio, Dominican College, Eccles street, Dublin (Una McKenna, E. O'Driscoll and Cassie Stokes); 2nd, Dominican College Trio, Sion Hill (Mey Kelly, Mary O'Connor and Agatha Lynch); highly commended, Muckross Trio, Dominican Convent, Donnybrook (Gracie Hughes, Lil Hackett and Florrie Kenny).

Mixed Quartet in Irish.—Test—Casadh an tSugain (Robert O'Dwyer). There was only one entry, Mr. Hubert Rooney (Misses F. Cullen, D. Cullen, and Messrs. Sean O'Hegarty and Leo Fogarty), and no prize could be awarded.

Boys' Solo (15 entries).—Tests—(a) "Fairy Ways" (Dermot MacMorrough), (b) "I Saw From the Beach" (Stanford), (c) An easy piece at sight.—1st, No. 7, William Hayes, Edmondstown Park, Rathfarnham, Dublin. No. 13, Seumas Gallen, Corpus Christi, Drumcondra, was second, but, having won the same prize last year, was disqualified, and the 2nd prize was awarded to No. 14, Coram P. Doyle, 13 Iona road, Glasnevin, Dublin. 3rd, No. 8, Robert Maguire, 15 Molesworth street, Dublin.

LACK OF EXPRESSION.

Dr. Bairstow said that all the competitors had got good voices, but there was very little expression in their singing. But the worst fault was the sight reading.

Referring to the winner, he said that this boy had given a very expressive reading of "Fairy Ways." In the second song also the singing was good, although he also pulled the tune about. He was virtually the only one who kept the tune going in the sight reading test.

Bass Solo Singing (13 entries).—Tests—(a) "Droop Not, Young Lover" (Handel), (b) "The Little Red Fox" (Wood), (c) An easy piece at sight.—1st, No. 6, J. W. Worlin, 24 Wigan road, Glasnevin; 2nd, No. 9, Donald E. Reaven, 18 Inverness road, Fairview. No. 7, Andrew E. O'Byrne, 20 Charleville road, Rathmines (winner of silver medal, 1925); No. 10, Thomas Keane, Arundel square, Waterford (winner of silver medal, 1923); and No. 11, Edward Stanley, 32 Casimir road, Harold's Cross (winner of bronze medal, 1925) were next in order, but were disqualified, and the 3rd prize was awarded to No. 9, T. H. Gallwey, Rockhall, Malahide, Co. Dublin.

A PROMISING BASS.

Mr. Robert Radford said that he was a little disappointed at this competition. Real bass voices were very few—a number of the singers were baritones trying to sing bass. Another thing he noticed was that the Handel song had seemed to frighten the singers. There was a lot of variety and fun in this song which might have been rendered, but generally it had been sung like an exercise. No. 6, to whom he had awarded first place, had a most excellent voice. He sang well in tune and like a man. He was a most promising singer.

Ladies' Trio (19 entries). Tests—(a) "Lullaby" (Cyril Scott), accompanied; (b) "I Saw Lovely Phyllis" (Miller). 1st, No. 7, Dublin Philharmonic Society Trio B. (Misses M. Roberts, M. O'Toole, and B. Casserly); 2nd, No. 17, Wesley College Trio (Misses Dorothy Smith, Madge Lougheed, and Eileen Pierce); 3rd, No. 3, Miss Culwick's Trio (Misses Phyllis Reeves, D. Pasley, and Olive Gilbert).

Dr. Bairstow said that the standard had varied. In the "Cradle Song" some had done very badly; the ending had proved too much for them.

The winning trio (No. 7) had sung very sweetly and tenderly, and their phrasing had been fine in the Lullaby. They got an excellent *ensemble*. The second piece had been taken at a very fast *tempo*, but the intonation was well maintained.

Senior Piano (48 entries). Tests—(a) Sonata in E flat Op. 81A (Beethoven); (b) Piece at sight. 1st, Miss Eileen Braid, Vernon avenue, Clontarf. Miss Irene Nabarro, Hannaville Park, Terenure, was second, but, having won the silver medal last year, second place was awarded to Miss May Hughes, 36 Clyde road (Bronze Medal in 1925); 3rd, Miss Lilian Connolly, Fernville, Glasnevin. Highly commended—Miss Mary Bartlett, Bonnybrook; Miss Laelia Fineberg, Dalkey Lodge, Balkey, and Miss Grace Hughes, 36 Clyde road, Dublin.

Irish Fiddles (Junior).—1st, May Keogh, 5 Tramway terrace, Guildford road, Sandymount; 2nd, Mary Kavanagh, 11 Tramway terrace, Blackrock.

Irish Fiddles.—1st, Miss Marie O'Meara, 2 Wellington street, Clonmel; 2nd, Miss Frances O'Donovan, 26 Barrett's Buildings, Cork; 3rd, Edward Potts, 6 Watkin's Buildings, Coombe, Dublin.

Irish Pipes.—1st, Seumas Mac Aonghusa, Ballyhamish, Fingall, Co. Dublin; 2nd, Edward Potts, 6 Watkin's Buildings, Coombe, Dublin; 3rd, Sean O'Leary, Spring Hill, Enniscorthy; highly commended, Thomas Rowsome, 125 Harold's Cross road, Dublin.

Dances, Pipes (1 entry).—James Blake, 88 Francis street, Dublin, was recommended for second prize.

Unpublished Irish Airs.—Airs were submitted by Seumas Mac Aonghusa, Ballyhamish, Fingall, Co. Dublin; Miss Sheila Kelly, An Dun, Donnabate, Co. Dublin; Miss Sheila Murray, 44 Farmleigh, Castleknock, Co. Dublin; Miss Roslyn Sheehan, 120 Trilleville road, Sandymount, Dublin. The result will be announced in due course.

Mr. Arthur Darley, Prof. Robert O'Dwyer, and Mr. D. J. O'Sullivan were the adjudicators in the Irish Fiddler, Pipes, and Irish Airs Competitions.

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FINANCIAL NEWS AND NOTES.

TONE AND COMMENT.

DUBLIN STEADY.

PRICES WELL MAINTAINED.

With the weekend market, as it were, "thrown in" as an additional cause for stagnation, business on Change yesterday was again exceedingly circumscribed, though at the later session some additional support was available for leading industrials, and higher prices had to be paid to secure the necessary lots. In other directions price movements, as anticipated, were of an irregular character, owing to the limited state of the general market. Government National and other Loans were harder on balance. British Funds show moderate declines. Bank shares dealt in were firm, with little doing, but Bank of Ireland Stock was on sale. Guinness Ord. opened with a further show of strength, but profit-taking set in, and the earlier slight gain was more than lost. Dublin Distillers Pref., though quoted lower, were really rather firmer than recent unofficial ideas of the market. Marconi were sellers at a lower level. Rails were steady, but practically drawn blank. Tram issues were again firm, with Dublin United "B" 3½ p.c. Deb. and Provincial 6 p.c. Pref. bid for and higher prices called. Alliance Gas were good and higher. Bakery and Drapery were almost neglected. Textiles closed decidedly over lower initial quotations. Tobaccos were finally firm. Dunlop Rubber Ords. were freely supported, mainly for the other side. Shell Transports rallied a couple of shillings.

The American Forced Company's transfer books will be closed from 17th to 31st May, both days inclusive.

LONDON QUIET.

VERY CONFIDENT TONE.

Considering the influential conditions prevailing throughout the country, the Stock markets have remained remarkably steady, though, speaking generally, there has been no marked disposition to do any large amount of business. The feeling of confidence which has pervaded transactions during the strike has been fully maintained. Gilt-edged Securities remained steady, but in Home Rails there were small losses. Following the appreciation of the franc, French Loans improved. Mines were irregular. Rubber Shares, though almost at a standstill, were slightly easier in the little business that was transacted. Dunlops showed a small upward movement, while Oil Shares and B.A.T. were dull, but steady.

THE MONEY MARKET.

LOANS EASIER.

TREASURY BILL RATE HIGHER.

The customary Friday conditions prevailed in Lombard street. Renewals of old daily loans mostly went at 4 p.c., while in some cases 4½ p.c. was charged, but fresh overnight advances were obtained from the latter figure down to 3½ p.c. at the close. The discount market remained quiet, but rates were firmer on the Treasury bill allotments, the average rate for next week's Treasuries working out at 4½ p.c. Bank bills of all dates were quoted 4½, and this rate also ruled for the "hot" Treasuries. Of next week's bills those dated Monday to Friday at £98 16s. 8d. receive about 64 p.c. and above in full, and those dated Saturday at £98 17s. and above receive in full:

Bank Rate Discount charged Dec. 2, 1925	5%
60 days' bank bills	4½%
3 months' "	4½%
4 months' "	4½%
6 months' "	4½%
Loans to brokers day-to-day	4%
" " for a week	4½%
Deposit allowance: Banks of call	3%
" " Discount houses at call	3%
" " " at notice	3½%

Bullion movements nil. There has been a sharp rise in the price of silver during the past week, touching 30¾d. as against 29¾d. a week ago, although on Thursday, on some reselling by China, there was a reaction to 30½d. Yesterday's quotation being another ¼d. higher, to-day's 30¾d., and forward at 30¾d. at the same figure. About £900,000 arrived from the Cape this week, of which the Bank of England secured about £400,000, the remainder being taken for India and the Continent. Yesterday's quotation was 1d. better at 84s. 11½d.

The chief movement of note in the Foreign Exchange market was the firmness of the New York cable rate at 4.85⅛, while French and Belgian francs, after a much better opening, fell back as the day advanced, and left off weaker at 155¼ and 153¾ respectively. The Italian lire weakened ¼ little, and the Dutch rate showed no change. Spanish pesetas kept steady, and Norwegian kroner weakened a shade. South American currencies were easier, notably Monte Video.

	May 7 Closing Rate	May 6 Closing Rate	Par Value
Amsterdam	12.08½ 12.09½	12.09 12.09½	12.10
Buenos Ayres	44.¾ 45.¼	44.¾ 45.¼	47.7d.
Barcelona			25.22½
Berlin	20.85 20.91	20.86 20.90	20.43
Brussels	153.¾ 154.¼	153.¾ 154.¼	139.25
Calcutta		1/5⅞	1/6
Copenhagen	18.69 18.81	18.68 18.81	18.10
Genoa	95.50 96.25	95.50 96.25	92.46
Greece	3.97 3.97	3.88 3.93	25.22½
Helsingfors	191.½ 192.½	191.½ 192.½	192.23
Italy	121.½ 121.¾	120.85 120.95	92.46
Kristiania	1/1.¼ 1/1.⅜	1/1.⅛ 1/1.¼	1/1.24.56
Madrid	37.¾ 38.¼	37.¾ 38.¼	25.22½
Montreal	4.85⅛ 4.85⅜	4.85⅛ 4.85⅜	4.86.23
Montevideo	50.½ 51.½	50.½ 51.½	51.65
New York	4.85⅛ 4.85⅜	4.85⅛ 4.85⅜	4.86.23
Oslo	22.51 22.56	22.52 22.57	19.159
Paris	155.¾ 156.¼	154.¾ 155.¼	25.22½
Prague	14.93½ 14.96½	14.91½ 14.94½	14.762
Rio de Janeiro	7.¾ 7.¾	7.¾ 7.¾	2/4
Shanghai	2/1/16 2/1/16	2/1/16 2/1/16	2/4
Singapore	2/4⅛ 2/4⅜	2/4⅛ 2/4⅜	2/4
Stockholm	18.15 18.17	18.14 18.17	18.15
Vienna	34.38 34.43	34.42 34.47	34.56½
Warsaw	42.¾ 43.¼	42.¾ 43.¼	25.22½

DEALINGS IN LONDON MARKET.

The following dealings among active Stocks and Shares are reported on London yesterday:—

Consols, 53½, 4; 53½, 4; 53½, 4;

LIMERICK BULL SHOW.

PREMIUM ANIMALS IN GOOD DEMAND.

(FROM OUR AGRICULTURAL CORRESPONDENT.)

LIMERICK, Friday.

With 120 entries, the second annual show and sale of registered dairy, pure-bred Shorthorn, Aberdeen Angus, and Hereford bulls, held by the Co. Limerick branch of the Irish Dairy Shorthorn Breeders' Society, was twice the size of last year's one. The competitive classes were open only to members of the Co. Limerick Cow Testing Association. Of these there are no fewer than 32, and since 1923 the county has taken the lead by raising the standard for premium bulls to 800 gallons on both sides of their pedigree. In 1926 there were bred in the county only four premium bulls up to the standard. Now there are about 20 such bulls. At to-day's show and sale the number of premiums awarded by Messrs. R. Lynch, P. Duffy, and C. J. McCarthy, Live Stock Inspectors, was 21. This affords one indication of the high standard of merit displayed throughout. Still more striking was the fact that 19 of these bulls averaged 58 guineas in the ring.

There is a shortage of premium bulls this season, notwithstanding the larger number selected by the Department, and especially noticeable is the demand for Aberdeen Angus. The top price to-day—100 gns.—was paid for the nice blocky A.A. bull, Brian of Castle Lough, the property of Mr. Parker-Hutchinson, Nenagh; the next best figure, 81 gns., being also paid for an Aberdeen Angus from Brigadier-General Parker, Nenagh.

Mr. Maurice Raleigh, Knocklong, was the most successful competitor at the Show, accounting for the Boyd Cup for young registered dairy bulls in a very good class, three first prizes, and one second. For his Boyd Cup winner, Tipperary Boy, a well-bred roan of dairy type, he got 70 gns., the top price in the section. He obtained a similar price for his two-year-old dairy Shorthorn, Loobagh Grand Duke 10th, which was reserved for the Dunraven Cup. This trophy, presented by Lord Dunraven for the best Co. Limerick-bred bull whose dam and sire's dam has given over 800 gallons of milk in 45 week., was won by Mr. Wm. Kelleher, Charleville, with Highmount Champion, a good-substanced red of the right type, that was sold for 59 gns. When the premium bulls came into the ring there was keen bidding, and no difficulty was experienced in getting substantial prices, with the result that the 19 sold made a total of 1,103 gns. Many of the non-premium bulls showed great substance and were well suited for crossing. They also sold well, although not at such high prices as the others.

In the spacious paddocks of Mr. W. B. Fitt, who conducted the sale, there was every accommodation for exhibitors and the public, even to the provision of tea, and the business of the day was carried through with clock-like precision.

Amongst the officers of the Association present were Mr. C. O'Sullivan, president; Mr. M. Raleigh, vice-president; Mr. C. Dowling, hon. secretary, with Messrs. O'Leary and Regan, cow testing instructors; Mr. M. Gleeson, instructor in agriculture, and Mr. Hartigan, secretary, to Committee of Agriculture. With Mr. Gleeson were Dr. Wm. Myers, Professor of Farm Finance, Cornell University, and Mr. J. Morgan Jones, Department of Agricultural Economics, Aberstwyth, who, in the course of an Irish tour, are visiting some typical dairy farms in Co. Limerick.

The prizes were awarded by Messrs. F. N. Grene, Dundrum, and P. O'Donnell, Kilmallock, and it will be observed that buyers were present from Killala, Tuam, and various parts of Tipperary, Kerry and Cork, as well as Limerick.

DAIRY SHORTHORNS.

There were only two entries in the class for registered dairy Shorthorn bulls, and premier honour went to Mr. M. Raleigh, Knocklong, for his well-balanced two-year-old red, Loobagh Grand Duke 10th, by Freshwater Persimmon, whose dam was a 1,050-gallon cow, out of the 927-gallon Loobagh Grand Duchess. He was reserved for the Dunraven Cup, and was sold to Lord Inchiquin for 70 gns.

REGISTERED DAIRY BULLS.

For non-pedigree registered dairy Shorthorns, two years old, Mr. Wm. Keleher, Charleville, won first prize and the Old Boyd Cup with Highmount Captain, a level, good barrelled red by Boatsman of Abbeylands, whose dam had a record of 933 gallons, while his own dam was an 873-gallon cow. Mr. T. Ryan bought him for 59 gns. Mr. M. Reddy, Clarina, was second with Shamrock, a useful red and white by Bloomfield King. He was sold for 30 gns. Mr. W. Buckley, Patrickswell, was third with Adare Gold, a red by Loobagh Rover 11th out of a thousand-gallon cow, which sold for 35½ gns. Mr. M. D. Liston's reserve bull, Duke of Belvelly, realised 26 gns.

Of 29 entries in the older yearling bull class, Mr. Maurice Raleigh took first and second prizes, reserve for the Boyd Cup, and reserve in the class with a quartet of undoubted merit, all sired by Loobagh Ringer 7th, a bull from a 926-gallon cow. The leader was Limerick Ringer, a son of Limerick, one of the cup winners at Dublin last year. He was sold for 60 gns. The second bull, Limerick's Best, was out of Red Limerick, a 1,146-gallon cow, also a Dublin cup winner. He was not sold. Mr. J. Fitzgerald, Kilfinny, was third with Knockferras Chieftain II., a shapely red by Ballynagar Pilot. He was sold for 52 gns.

There were 29 entries in the younger yearling class, and here Mr. Raleigh took first prize and the Boyd Cup with Tipperary Boy, an attractive roan, whose dam, Grey Tipp, was a 926-gallon cow. He realised 70 gns. Mr. T. Hickey, Kilfinny, was second with Kilmacow Chieftain 24th, a useful roan out of a 744-gallon cow. He was sold for 67 gns. Mr. J. Riordan, Co. Cork, was third with Pride of Monpoes, a dark roan by that fine dairy bull, Roan Captain. He changed hands at 53 gns.

THE SALE.

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DUBLIN CIRCUIT COURT

CAUGHT IN THE ACT.

ATTEMPT TO FORCE BAKERY'S SAFE.

(BEFORE JUDGE DRUMGOOLE.)

Patrick Lally, James Fitzpatrick and Christopher Maguire were charged with breaking into Messrs. Thompson's bakery, Bridgefoot street, on the morning of Sunday, the 18th ult. Lally was found guilty and put back; Maguire was found not guilty and discharged, and in Fitzpatrick's case the jury disagreed. Fitzpatrick was put back for a further trial.

Guard Joyce gave evidence that, as he was passing Thompson's bakery at 6 o'clock on the Sunday morning, he heard heavy thuds in the office. Shortly afterwards a wicket in the gate opened, but, as the witness and another Guard approached, the wicket was shut. Fitzpatrick and Maguire escaped by the back, but Lally was pursued and captured.

Guard Donnelly described how he chased two men, whom he believed to be Fitzpatrick and Maguire, to Usher's quay, where they disappeared.

Further evidence showed that an unsuccessful attempt was made to force the safe, which contained about £120. Damage estimated at £15 was done to the safe.

The defence was an *alibi*. Lally's explanation was that he saw men running away from the police and that he "got mixed up in the crowd."

FORGED PAYING ORDER.

After a plea by his counsel (Mr. A. Burne), Ernest Kelly, convicted on Thursday of forging and cashing a paying order value for £29, was released on entering into bail to keep the peace and come up for judgment if, and when, called upon.

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CHANCERY DIVISION.
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RICHARD WRIGHT and DAVID McKENNA, Plaintiffs;
And
SUSAN KATE DWEN, KATE JAMES BATES and HELENA JANE KNOX, and, by Order, RICHARD WILLIAMS DWEN, Defendants.

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LIMERICK BULL SHOW.

PREMIUM ANIMALS IN GOOD DEMAND.

(From Our Agricultural Correspondent.)

LIMERICK, Friday.

With 120 entries, the second annual show and sale of registered dairy, pure-bred Shorthorn, Aberdeen Angus, and Hereford bulls, held by the Co. Limerick branch of the Irish Dairy Shorthorn Breeders' Society, was twice the size of last year's one. The competitive classes were open only to members of the Co. Limerick Cow Testing Association's. Of these there are no fewer than 32, and since 1923 the county has taken the lead by raising the standard for premium bulls to 800 gallons on both sides of their pedigree. In 1924 there were bred in the county only four premium bulls up to the standard. Now there are about 20 such bulls. At to-day's show and sale the number of premiums awarded by Messrs. R. Lynch, P. Duffy, and C. J. McCarthy, Live Stock Inspectors, was 21. This affords one indication of the high standard of merit displayed throughout. Still more striking was the fact that 19 of these bulls averaged 58 guineas in the ring.

There is a shortage of premium bulls this season, notwithstanding the larger number selected by the Department, and especially noticeable is the demand for Aberdeen Angus. The top price to-day—100 gns.—was paid for the nice blocky A.A. bull, Brian of Castle Lough, the property of Mr. Parker-Hutchinson, Nenagh; the next best figure, 81 gns., being also paid for an Aberdeen Angus from Brigadier-General Parker, Nenagh.

Mr. Maurice Raleigh, Knockdoe, was the most successful competitor at the Show, accounting for the Boyd Cup for young registered dairy bulls in a very good class, three first prizes, and one second. For his Boyd Cup winner, Tipperary Boy, a well-bred roan of dairy type, he got 70 gns., the top price in the section. He obtained a similar price for his two-year-old dairy Shorthorn, Loobagh Grand Duke 10th, which was reserved for the Dunraven Cup. This trophy, presented by Lord Dunraven for the best Co. Limerick-bred bull whose dam and sire's dam has given over 800 gallons of milk in 46 weeks, was won by Mr. Wm. Kelleher, Charleville, with Highmount Champion, a good-substanced red of the right type, that was sold for 59 gns. When the premium bulls came into the ring there was keen bidding, and no difficulty was experienced in getting substantial prices, with the result that the 19 sold made a total of 1,105 gns. Many of the non-premium bulls showed great substance and were well suited for crossing. They also sold well, although not at such high prices as the others.

In the spacious paddocks of Mr. W. B. Fitt, who conducted the sale, there was every accommodation for exhibitors and the public, even to the provision of tea, and the business of the day was carried through with clock-like precision.

Amongst the officers of the Association present were Mr. C. O'Sullivan, president; Mr. M. Raleigh, vice-president; Mr. C. Dowling, hon. secretary, with Messrs. O'Leary and Regan, cow testing instructors; Mr. M. Gleeson, instructor in agriculture, and Mr. Hartigan, secretary, Co. Committee of Agriculture. With Mr. Gleeson were Dr. W. I. Myers, Professor of Farm Finance, Cornell University, and Mr. J. Monaghan, Department of Agricultural Economics, Aberstwyth, who, in the course of an Irish tour, are visiting some typical dairy farms in Co. Limerick.

The prizes were awarded by Messrs. F. N. Greene, Dundrum, and P. O'Donnell, Kilmallock, and it will be observed that buyers were present from Killala, Tuam, and various parts of Tipperary, Kerry and Cork, as well as Limerick.

DAIRY SHORTHORNS.

There were only two entries in the class for registered dairy Shorthorn bulls, and premier honour went to Mr. J. Raleigh, Knocklong, for his well-balanced two-year-old red, Loobagh Grand Duke 10th, by Freshwater Persimmon, whose dam was a 1,050-gallon cow, out of the 927-gallon Loobagh Grand Duchess. He was reserved for the Dunraven Cup, and was sold to Lord Inchiquin for 70 gns.

REGISTERED DAIRY BULLS.

For non-pedigree registered dairy Shorthorns, two years old, Mr. Wm. Kelleher, Charleville, won first prize and the Dunraven Cup with Highmount Captain, a well-topped barrelled red by Boatsman of Abbeyland; whose dam had a record of 933 gallons, while his own dam was an 873-gallon cow. Mr. T. Ryan bought him for 59 gns. Mr. M. Reddy, Clarina, was second with Shamrock, a useful red and white by Bloomfield King. He was sold for 30 gns. Mr. W. Buckley, Patrickswell, was third with Adare Gold, a red by Loobagh Rover 11th out of a thousand-gallon cow, which sold for 35½ gns. Mr. M. D. Liston's reserve bull, Duke of Belvelly, realised 26 gns.

Of 29 entries in the older yearling bull class, Mr. Maurice Raleigh took first and second prizes, reserve for the Boyd Cup, and reserve in the class with a quartet of undoubted merit. All are by Loobagh Ringer 7th, a bull from a 926-gallon cow. The leader was Limerick Ringer, a son of Limerick, one of the cup winners at Dublin last year. He was sold for 60 gns. The second bull, Limerick's Best, was out of Red Limerick, a 1,146-gallon cow, also a Dublin cup winner. He was not sold. Mr. J. Fitzgerald, Kilfinny, was third with Knockfierna Chieftain II., a shapely red by Ballynagar Pilot. He was sold for 52 gns.

There were 29 entries in the younger yearling class, and here Mr. Raleigh took first prize and the Boyd Cup with Tipperary Boy, an attractive roan, whose dam, Grey Tipp, was a 926-gallon cow. He realised 70 gns. Mr. T. Hickey, Kilfinny, was second with Kilmacow Chieftain 24th, a useful roan out of a 746-gallon cow. He was sold at 57 gns. Mr. J. Ricketts, Newcastle West, was third with Pride of Monpcea, a dark roan by that fine dairy bull, Rosa Captain. He changed hands at 55 gns.

THE SALE.

REGISTERED DAIRY SHORTHORNS.

Appended is a list of the principal sales. The asterisk indicates Premiums. Gns.

*Mr. M. Raleigh's Loobagh Grand Duke 10th (c. Aug., 1924) (Lord Inchiquin)..... 70

REGISTERED DAIRY BULLS.

*Mr. W. Kelleher's Highmount Captain (c. May, 1924) (Mr. Thos. Ryan)..... 59
*Mr. M. Raleigh's Limerick Ranger (c. Feb., 1925) (Mr. R. Ryan, Cahercorlish)..... 40
*Mr. M. Raleigh's Limerick Ranger (c. March, 1925) (Mr. D. Mangan)..... 34
*Mr. J. Fitzgerald's Knockfierna Chieftain II. (Mr. E. McCarthy, Drenagh)..... 52
*Mr. J. Fitzgerald's Knockfierna Boyer II. (c. Feb., 1925) (Mrs. Denis Carroll, Ballyingford)..... 30
*Mr. T. Hickey's Kilmacow Chieftain (c. April, 1925) (Mr. P. Burke, Whitegate, Co. Clare)..... 57
*Mr. D. Hough's Rambler (c. April, 1925) (Mr. D. Connolly, Ballybrood)..... 35
*Mr. J. Riordan's Pride of Monaces (c. March, 1925) (Mr. A. Clapton, Stradbally)..... 53
*Mr. M. Raleigh's Tipperary Boy (c. March, 1925) (Mr. N. Power)..... 70
*Mr. M. Raleigh's Clare's 5th (c. April, 1925) (Mr. A. McGregor, Kilhala)..... 38
*Right Rev. J. C. McCarthy's Mount Heaton Plume (c. Jan., 1925) (Mr. P. Duffy, Department of Agriculture)..... 45
*Right Rev. P. J. McCarthy's Mount Heaton Rover (c. Dec., 1924) (Mr. Duffy, Department of Agriculture)..... 45
*Right Rev. P. J. McCarthy's Mount Heaton Hero (c. March, 1925) (Mr. Power of Tynan)..... 61
*Mr. P. O'Mahony's Moonlight (c. April, 1925) (Mr. M. Ahern)..... 45
*Mr. N. MacFarsanil's Colin Cuil Onward II. (c. April, 1925) (Mr. Duffy, Department of Agriculture)..... 45
*Mr. J. J. Hobbert's Knight (c. April, 1925) (Mr. Gleasure)..... 34

ABERDEEN ANGUS.

*Mr. Parker Hutchinson's Brian of Castle Lough (c. Feb., 1923) (Mr. J. J. Foley, Ballybunion)..... 100
*Brig.-Gen. Parker's Garryknenuhy Rover (c. Feb. 1925) (Mr. Joseph Costello, Borrisoleigh)..... 81

NON-PREMIUM BULLS.

Mr. M. Reidy's Shamrock (c. March, 1924) (Mr. P. Scanlon)..... 59
Mr. P. Scanlon's Dairyman (c. Feb., 1924) (Mr. M. Quinlan, Reask)..... 50
Mr. M. D. Liston's Duke of Belvelly (c. Feb., 1924) (D. Kennedy, Ballyneety)..... 26
Mr. W. Buckley's Adare Gold K. (c. April, 1924) (Mr. J. J. O'Malley)..... 30
Mr. T. Hickey's Kilmacow Chieftain 10th (c. March, 1925) (Mr. Jas. Bowen)..... 61
Mr. John Scanlon's Jack Whittington (c. Jan., 1925) (Mr. McCrotty)..... 45
Mr. W. Kelleher's Highmount Captain (c. Feb., 1925) (Mr. P. Quilty)..... 45
Mr. M. Hanley's Croom A.D.R. (c. Jan., 1925) (Mr. D. Cregan)..... 45
Mr. U. G. Sheppard's Sunrise (c. Feb., 1925) (Mr. Wm. Purcell)..... 45
Mr. M. D. Liston's Lenkelsk Boy (c. Feb., 1925) (Mr. P. Laffan)..... 45
Mr. J. Quaid's Clonlara Benganine (c. Feb., 1925) (Mr. Edd Laffan)..... 45
Mr. John Carroll's Sam (c. March, 1925) (Mr. P. Leonard)..... 45
Mr. R. Irvine's Lloyd Georgeson (c. March, 1925) (Mrs. B. Moloney)..... 45
Mr. P. Flanagan's Coolaka Boy (c. Feb., 1925) (Mr. D. Dillon, Pallas)..... 45
Mr. J. Quinlan's Brickfield Boy (c. April, 1925) (Mr. J. Hannan)..... 45
Mr. Thos. Hickey's Kilmacow Chieftain (c. April, 1925) (Mr. B. Laffan)..... 45
Mr. W. Kelleher's Highmount Captain II. (c. April, 1925) (Mr. D. O'Callaghan)..... 45

DUBLIN CIRCUIT COURT

CAUGHT IN THE ACT.

ATTEMPT TO FORCE BAKERY'S SAFE.

(BEFORE JUDGE DROMGOOLE.)

Patrick Lally, James Fitzpatrick and Christopher Maguire were charged with breaking into Messrs. Thompson's bakery, Bridgefoot street, on the morning of Sunday, the 18th ult. Lally was found guilty and put back; Maguire was found not guilty and discharged, and in Fitzpatrick's case the jury disagreed. Fitzpatrick was put back for a further trial.

Guard Joyce gave evidence that, as he was passing Thompson's bakery at 6 o'clock on the Sunday morning, he heard heavy thuds in the office. Shortly afterwards a wicket in the gate opened, but, as the witness and another Guard approached, the wicket was shut. Fitzpatrick and Maguire escaped by the back, but Lally was pursued and captured.

Guard Donnelly described how he chased two men, whom he believed to be Fitzpatrick and Maguire, to Usher's quay, where they disappeared.

Further evidence showed that an unsuccessful attempt was made to force the safe, which contained about £120. Damage estimated at £15 was done to the safe.

The defence was an *alibi*. Lally's explanation was that he saw men running away from the police and that he "got mixed up in the crowd."

FORGED PAYING ORDER.

After a plea by his counsel (Mr. A. Burne), Ernest Kelly, convicted on Thursday of forging and cashing a paying order value for £20, was released on entering into bonds to keep the peace and come up for judgment if, and when, called upon.

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DOUGLAS—VILLIERS HOTEL—Sea front, 200 rooms, electric light and lift, orchestra, restaurant; reasonable terms. Tariff, Manageress.

DOUGLAS—"Ravenscliffe," Prom.; elec. light; Promenade; superb. Tariff, booklet. Miss Cubbon.

DOUGLAS—"Fellows," Queen's Prom., for a good holiday; best of everything. Terms reasonable.

DOUGLAS—Ashfield Private Hotel, Central Prom.; all rooms face sea; excellent cuisine. Terms on application to T. SIMPSON, Proprietress.

DOUGLAS—"Mere Hall," Loch Prom.; centre of amusements, facing sea, every comfort—Boocroft.

DOUGLAS—"Ducker's Trevelyan" Residential Hotel (R.A.C. & A.C.U.), Queen's Promenade; garage. Tariff from L. J. DUCKER, Proprietor.

DOUGLAS—"Delemere," Mona Drive, Cent. Prom.; 50 Bedrooms; electric; from 8/6.—W. Kirkman.

DOUGLAS—Loch Promenade (R.A.C. & A.C.U.). BELVEDERE; electric light; late dinner; bed & breakfast 9/6; booklet—Adams.

DOUGLAS—EMPRESS PRIVATE HOTEL. Central Promenade, sea front; 250 guests; dancing, entertainments, billiards; garage.—I. T. BOYD.

DOUGLAS—"Avondale." Central Prom. Cuisine and liberality of table special feature.—L. Beard.

DOUGLAS—"STAFFORD HOUSE, PRIVATE HOTEL. Queen's Promenade. Separate tables. Late dinner. Tariff, Mrs. TATTERSALL.

PORT ST. MARY—"GOLF LINKS" HOTEL, overlooking sea. Fishing, boating, bathing and dancing. Early season terms.—SCHOFIELD.

PORT ERIN—The Eagle Hotel. Promenade, fully licensed; excellent cuisine; Sep. tables; own tennis courts (3); close links.—T. W. Whitham, Prop.

PORT ERIN—Golf Links Private Hotel. Promenade; electric light; hot & cold water all bedrooms; close to links & tennis. Tariff: J. Latimer Day.

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IRELAND MAKES A DISCOVERY. RAMSEY (LIVING BY THE SEA). Beautiful Brochure free from T. D. Kewin, Town Hall, Ramsey, Isle of Man.

GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

ACHTA UM LEASU TALMHAIN. LAND IMPROVEMENT ACTS.

The persons named in this Schedule have applied for loans under the above Acts. Dissents or objections (with reasons) to Penalty Loans must be transmitted to the Commissioners of Public Works on or before 5th June, 1926, and, in the case of other loans, on or before 22nd May, 1926.

No.	Name of Memorialist.	Amount	Lands to be Charged	Barony	County
1939	Walter Farrelly	£60	Drogheda	Co. Uskrock	Dublin.

TENANTS' LOANS.

849	William Monks, Bridge	210	Kevitt	Balrothery East	Dublin
871	William Masterson	280	Ribbinbog	Uppercross	Do

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SALES BY TENDER.

1924—No. 404. SARSFIELD FITZGERALD. HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE. CHANCERY COURT 2.

In the Matter of the Estate of JOHN EDGE DWEN, Deceased; RICHARD WRIGHT and DAVID McKENNA, Plaintiffs; And SUSAN KATE DWEN, KATE JAMES BATES and HELENA JANE KNOX, sued by Order, RICHARD WILLIAMS DWEN, Defendants.

SALE. IN TWO LOTS.

Part of the Lands of BALLYCOOLAN, and also Part of the Lands of BALLINTESKIN, and Part of the Lands of FALLOWBEG LOWER, all situate in the Barony of Stradbally, and Queen's County.

TO BE SOLD BY TENDER.

Pursuant to the ORDER of the COURT.

LOT 1—That Part of the Lands of BALLYCOOLAN, containing 137a. 1r. 26p., and also that Part of the Lands of BALLINTESKIN, containing 15a. 3r. 30p., both Statute Measure, or thereabouts, situate in the Barony of Stradbally, and Queen's County, held in fee simple, subject to an annuity of £76 13/8, now reduced by the Statutory decable reductions to £55 11/6, payable to the Irish Land Commission.

The above is one of the best Residential Farms in the Queen's County, central as between Athy, Carlow and Maryborough. The Residence is very attractive and contains drawingroom, diningroom, 5 bedrooms, kitchen, pantry and scullery, four offices; ex extensive slated accommodation for 60 cattle, stabling, spacious lofting, car houses, etc. There is very fine hay lofts.

The Lands are all in grass, and are fattening; nicely divided into convenient divisions. There are two good slated gardener's dwellings on the Lands.

LOT 2—That Part of the Lands of FALLOWBEG LOWER, containing 174a. 3r. 21p., Statute Measure, or thereabouts, situate in the Barony of Stradbally, and Queen's County, held in fee simple, subject to an annuity of £100 16/0, now reduced by the Statutory decadal reductions to £73 12/-, payable to the Irish Land Commission.

Fallowbeg Farm is all prime fattening, with two good cottages, and offices, and fine hay barn. This Farm has been worked by late owner for close on 50 years. It is without doubt a valuable property, being most favourably placed, and held of such a low annuity.

PURSUANT to Order of the Court, dated the 21st day of December, 1925, Tenders for the purchase of said Lots, subject to the terms of the Conditions of Sale, settled in this action, enclosed in sealed envelopes, addressed WRIGHT & DWEN, Tenders for Lot," may be sent (if by post, prepaid) to J. R. CRESWELL, Solicitor for Plaintiffs, having Carriage of said

JAMES H. NORTH & CO.'S SALES
TUESDAY, 18TH MAY.

Nos. 21, 22, 23, 24 D'OLIER STREET, AND 5, 6, 7, 8 HAWKINS STREET, DUBLIN.

The magnificent Premises have a total floor space of over 45,000 square feet, that is, more than one statute acre. They have a frontage to D'Olier street of 91 feet, and to Hawkins street of 70 feet. Exclusive of the basement storey, there are five floors in the D'Olier street frontage and four floors on the Hawkins street frontage. Passenger and hydraulic goods lifts serve the various floors, and there are two staircase approaches. The D'Olier street portion was newly fronted at a cost of £5,000 in 1909. The Hawkins street portion was erected in 1898 at a cost of £16,000, and is well-lighted, strongly built, and spacious modern structure.

The Hawkins street floors are of great extent, and are brilliantly lighted. They are strongly built and capable of supporting heavy goods.

A Sprinkler installation by Mather and Platt is fixed throughout buildings.

The Premises are fitted with hydraulic accumulator, dynamo, three boilers, horizontal gas engines, working lifts, horizontal gas engine working electric light and Lightfoot refrigerator. The Premises are held as follows:—

21 D'Olier street till 1933, at a rent of £110 per annum.
22-23-24 D'Olier street till 1975, at a rent of £375 per annum.
5-6-7-8 Hawkins street till 1927, subject to a rent of £123 per annum.

Clear possession of the entire Premises will be given.

Messrs. P. J. O'FLAHERTY and SON, Solicitors, 22 Nassau street, Dublin.
Messrs. NICHOLSON, FREELAND and SHEPHERD, Solicitors for Vendors, 46 Queen Anne's Gate, London, S.W.1.

IVORDALE, CROSS ROAD, SUTTON.

A Modern, Non-basement House, choicely situated, within two minutes' walk of two trams. Containing eight apartments, bathroom, with hot and cold supply, w.c.; gas and water laid on; gardens. Clear possession. Lease 150 years. Ground rent £10 per annum.

Messrs. COX and CO., Solicitors, 42 Stephen's Green.

KILROCK HOUSE, HOWTH. DELIGHTFUL MARINE RESIDENCE.

KILROCK HOUSE is a handsome, substantially built Residence, delightfully situated on the rocky foreshore at Howth. It stands detached in about 1½ acres of charmingly varied grounds, washed by the sea. The accommodation comprises:—Large hall, double drawingroom, study, diningroom, breakfast room, five bedrooms, bathroom, w.c., two servants' rooms, kitchen, and numerous pantries. Held as to the Residence and 3r. 25p., under lease from the Commissioners of Public Works in Ireland for 99 years from 1843, subject to £1 4.9 per annum, and as to two plots containing 1 rood and 35 perches, under lease from the same Lessors for 99 years from 1886 at £2 19.6 per annum. Clear possession.

A Stable and Coach-house, with Plot of Ground adjoining, containing 3 roods and 11 perches, held for 99 years from 1901, subject to £2 9/5 per annum, will be included in Sale.

H. V. BANTRY WHITE, Solicitor, 40 Westland row.

MITYLENE, AILESBURY ROAD.

Unusually handsome modern Residence, built regardless of expense about 30 years ago, and standing detached in about ¾ of an acre. The frontage to Ailesbury road is about 200 feet, with massive iron railings set in granite bases and flanked by two imposing entrances formed of heavy granite piers. The Residence is ornamented with a classic porch, with heavy stone columns, and stands two storeys over an ever-ground or basement. The accommodation is in every way suited to a gentleman's establishment. There are excellent offices in an enclosed yard. The grounds are well arranged, and are an extraordinary feature. Clear possession will be given.

Mityleve is one of the handsomest Residences in the Pembroke Township. Held direct from the Earl of Pembroke for 150 years, subject to the nominal ground rent of £4 16/- per annum. Seen on Order from 10 to 12 and from 2 to 4 p.m. daily.

Messrs. W. R. MEREDITH and SONS, Solicitors, 39 Molesworth street.

19 CASIMIR ROAD, HAROLD'S CROSS.
CLEAR POSSESSION.

Bright Modern House, very pleasantly situated, within a few minutes' walk of tram. Red brick front, with built bay window. Two sitting rooms, all tiled hearths, small conservatory off diningroom; three bedrooms, bathroom with fixed basin; separate w.c., tiled kitchen, pantry, scullery, heated linen press; outside w.c., garden and rear entrance.

Messrs. HAYES and SONS, Solicitors, Nassau street.

ATTRACTIVE INVESTMENT. No. 14 WICKLOW STREET, DUBLIN.

First-class Modern Business Premises, newly built about ten years ago, and held for 150 years from 1918, subject to the yearly rent of £67 per annum. The Shop and Basement are Let to Messrs. Wilson's Hospital Estate from 29th June, 1926, at £65 per annum, landlord paying taxes on a P.L.V. which is at present £135. The remainder of the Premises Let at £120 per annum, landlord paying Taxes. P.L.V. of this portion £65. The present profit rent over head rent and taxes on the Shop and Basement is £158 per annum.

Messrs. J. H. WALSH and CO., Solicitors, 1 Lower Ormond quay.

12 WESTLAND ROW.

First-class Business position. Sound Building, 3 storeys and basement, large Return Building, rear entrance; Shop or Warehouse, with Store, 7 apartments upstairs and basement. Held from Trinity College for 56 years from 1908 at £35 per annum. Possession of Shop and Store. The remainder produces a present rental of £96 16/- per annum. New roof and gutters, up-to-date sewerage.

Messrs. HAYES and SONS, Solicitors, Nassau street.

EXECUTORS' SALE. BAMBA HOUSE, SYDMONTON ROAD, BRAY.

Lease 200 years from 1894. Sold subject to £15 per annum. Immediate possession. First Class Position.

A handsome, modern detached non-basement Residence, broken fronted. Bay windows to roof, electric light; gardens front and rear. Contains, on the hall floor, drawingroom, diningroom, study, kitchen, pantries, etc.; on the first floor, five bedrooms, dressingroom, bathroom, with hot and cold water, and w.c. In roof, four rooms. Gas and water throughout. Good garden at rear, outside w.c., coal store, bicycle shed, etc. Inspected and recommended.

Messrs. HAYES and SONS, Solicitors, Nassau street.

48 MARGUERITE ROAD, GLASNEVIN.

A modern, well-built, compact Dwellinghouse, two storeys high, with good return building; no basement; bay windows. Contains five apartments; gas and Varley water laid on. Clear possession. A most convenient and pleasing position. Held for 999 years from 1916, subject to £5 per annum.

Messrs. W. R. MEREDITH and SONS, Solicitors, Molesworth street.

SALE TUESDAY, 1ST JUNE. No. 11 VESEY PLACE, DUN LAOGHAIRE.
(CLEAR POSSESSION.)

Well-built Semi-detached Dwellinghouse, overlooking De Vesci Gardens, and having views of sea and Howth. Contains 2 sittingrooms, 5 bedrooms, kitchen, pantry, bathroom, with hot and cold water; servant's room, and w.c. Held for 99 years from 1st May, 1849, subject to the adjusted rent of £7 6/6 per annum. A well-situated, soundly built house. Garden at rear and rear entrance.

JOHN WHITE, Solicitor, 15 College Green.

EXECUTORS' SALE,—26 WATERLOO ROAD.

Soundly built Semi-detached House, with possession. On the best part of the road, with railed enclosure in front. Accommodation consists of study, large diningroom, spacious drawingroom, five bedrooms, return room, bathroom, with hot and cold supply; wash-hand basin, two w.c.'s; kitchen, two servants' rooms, pantries, wine cellar, range, gas cooker, hot-water circulator, etc. Large plate glass windows in front; garden and stable. The stable is let to a weekly tenant at 4/- per week.

Messrs. PORTER, MORRIS and CO., Solicitors, 8 Clare street.

OWENSTOWN, FOSTER AVENUE, ROEBUCK, WITH 20A. 2R. 30P.,

Of which the Dwellinghouse, garden, pleasure grounds and 11a. 0r. 31p., are held from the Pembroke Estate for 99 years from the 25th March, 1903, subject to the rent of £80 per annum, and 9a. 2r. 9p., Statute measure, held in Fee-simple under provisions of Irish Land Act of 1923, subject to a payment in lieu of rent of £22 17/- per annum.

The Residence is an attractively situated one, and contains drawingroom, two diningrooms, study, small room, pantry and w.c., on hall floor. On the Upper Floor there are six bedrooms, dressingroom, bathroom, with hot and cold water and w.c. In the basement will be found servants' rooms, servants' hall, kitchen and scullery. The approach is by gate lodge and avenue, and the situation is in every way agreeable. There are walled-in garden, kitchen garden, tennis ground, stabling for four horses, loose box, harness room and hayloft.

This extensively attractive Residential Property is most favourably circumstanced in situation and surroundings. It is about seven minutes' motor drive from the City, and within easy reach of trams and buses. The Lands are of excellent quality, and are suitable for Dairy Farming.

Messrs. DARLEY, ORPEN and SYNNOTT, Solicitors, 31 Kildare street.

SAORSTAT EIREANN.
IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE—COURT NO. 2.
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF
JULIA KENNEDY, DECEASED,
BETWEEN
CECIL CHEERY, PLAINTIFF,
AND
MARGARET ROCK, DEFENDANT.

TO BE SOLD BY AUCTION,
PURSUANT TO ORDER OF MR. JUSTICE JOHNSTON,
ON TUESDAY, 1ST JUNE,
AT THE HOUR OF TWO O'CLOCK,
IN JAMES H. NORTH & CO.'S SALEROOMS,
110 GRAFTON STREET,
THE EXCEPTIONALLY DESIRABLE PRIVATE DWELLINGHOUSES and PREMISES, known as
11 & 12 CLYDE ROAD, & 20, 22, 24 ELGIN ROAD,
PEMBROKE TOWNSHIP.
TO BE SOLD IN FIVE LOTS, AS FOLLOWS:—

LOT 1.—No. 11 CLYDE ROAD, held from the Earl of Pembroke for 150 years from 29th September, 1866, subject to a rent of £9 per annum. A first-class building, in a most desirable residential position, semi-detached, with side and rear entrance. Garden in front and large garden at rear. Two storeys over ground basement. Contains, on the first floor three reception rooms, on the first landing one bedroom, and on the second storey four family bedrooms, bathroom, with hot and cold water, and in basement, kitchen, two servants' rooms, etc.; electric light and water throughout; also telephone; all in first-class order, and Let under agreement for a term expiring March, 1927, at the yearly rent of £112, landlord paying taxes. P.L.V., £65.

LOT 2.—No. 12 CLYDE ROAD, a twin House to Lot 1, but not in such perfect order. This House has not electric light. It is held for 150 years from 29th September, 1866, direct from the Earl of Pembroke, subject to £9 per annum. Let at present to a yearly tenant at £85 per annum, tenant paying rates and taxes. P.L.V., £65.

LOT 3.—No. 20 ELGIN ROAD. A first-class, soundly-built House, semi-detached, with handsome porch entrance, side and rear entrances, large garden at rear, coach-house and stabling. Three storeys over ground basement, and granite steps. Contains, on the first floor, 3 reception rooms, communicating through folding doors, on the first landing one room, second floor two drawingrooms; over these four family bedrooms, bathroom, with h. and c. water and w.c.; electric light and water throughout. All in first-class order. Held from the Earl of Pembroke for 150 years from 29th September, 1862, subject to £7 10/-, and let for a term of years expiring 1st July, 1926, at £140 per annum, landlord paying taxes. P.L.V., £80.

LOT 4.—No. 22 ELGIN ROAD, held from the Earl of Pembroke for 150 years from 29th September, 1862, subject to £5 10/- per annum. At present let to a first-class tenant from year to year at £140 2/- per annum, landlord paying taxes. Contains ten apartments and kitchen, bathroom, with hot and cold water and w.c. P.L.V. £72.

LOT 5.—No. 24 ELGIN ROAD, similar in construction to 22, but has stable and coach-house. Held from the Earl of Pembroke for 150 years from 29th September, 1862, subject to £6 10/- per annum, and let to a first-class tenant at £85 per annum, tenant paying taxes. P.L.V. £70.

For full particulars and Conditions of Sale, apply to

Messrs. HORAN and DEVINE, Solicitors, 12 Dame street.

FURNITURE SALE.
ON VIEW TO-DAY.
SALE, MONDAY NEXT—31 RATHMINES ROAD.
FURNITURE AND EFFECTS, WIRELESS SET, &c.

JAMES H. NORTH and CO. having sold the Residence, are further instructed to SELL THE CONTENTS OF ABOVE, including:—Five-Valve Trans-Atlantic Wireless Set; Primax Sterling Loud Speaker, Pianoforte by Allison and Co.; Gramophone, important Lacquer Screen, with raised floral decoration; Inlaid China Display Cabinet, Marquetry and Inlaid Sheraton Card and Occasional Tables, Chairs, Couches and Easy Chairs, Console Table and Mirror; Gilt and other Overmantels, Wall Mirrors; Set of Mahogany Dining Chairs, ca cabriole legs and claw and ball feet; Mahogany Telescope Dining Tables; All-brass Fire Sets, Bronze Vases and Stands, Marble Clock Sets; Axminster Carpets and Rugs; Inlaid Rosewood Drawingroom Suite, Walnut Drawingroom Suite, upholstered in plush; Fenders, Chins and Glassware, Marquetry Inlaid Grandfather Clock, Books, Singer Cabinet Sewing Machine, Hall Stand and Chair, Fireproof Safes, Suites of Curtains, and usual Fittings; Mahogany Glass-door Wardrobe, Dochester Pairs, Mahogany Commodes, Bedside Pedestals, Chests Drawers, Toilet Tables, and usual Bedroom Furniture, Kitchen Dresser, Tables, Chairs, Mangle, and Culinary Utensils; Lawn Mower, Hose, Garden Seat and Tools.

SALE 11 O'CLOCK SHARP.

JAMES H. NORTH & CO., AUCTIONEERS, 110 GRAFTON STREET.

BATTERSBY & CO.'S SALES.
'PHONES—48 AND 49. ESTABLISHED 1815.

TUESDAY, MAY 18TH, AT 12 O'CLOCK,
BY ORDER OF THE COURT.
OIL PAINTINGS AND ENGRAVINGS, ANTIQUE AND MODERN FURNITURE.
WE WILL SELL, IN THE MATTER OF ATKINSON AND TISDALL, AND FOR THE EXORS. OF H. WOODS, DECEASED,
AT OUR SALEROOMS, 38 WESTMORELAND STREET,
OIL PAINTINGS AND ENGRAVINGS,

A comprehensive Collection of Battolozzi, Engravings, Mezzotint Portraits, Coloured Prints, Needlework Pictures, Pastel Portraits, Silhouettes, Water-Colours, Drawings and Oil Paintings, including Landscape on panel, Dutch School and interesting Portraits of the Early English School, and a Portrait of a Young Lady, attributed to Winterhalter.

ALSO AT SAME TIME AND PLACE,
ANTIQUE AND MODERN FURNITURE,

Including: Antique Mahogany Glass-door China Cabinet, ditto Bed Chest, Carved Mahogany Side Table, with cabriole legs; Dumb Waiter, Mahogany-frame Settee, Antique Mahogany-frame Chairs, with cane seats; Easy Chairs, Antique Mahogany Two-Tier Marble-top Table, Inlaid Mahogany Circular Table, Occasional Tables, Cabinet Gramophone and Records, Inlaid Mahogany Bedroom Suite and Chest of Drawers, Turkey Carpets, Brass Floor Lamps, Brass Fire Furniture, Bronze Figures, Persian Rugs, Jacobean Oak Dining-room Suite, Oak Bureau Bookcase, Chester cid Settee, in tapestry; White Enamel Bedroom Suite, Jacobean Bedstead and Bedding.

On View day previous, 10 to 5 o'clock. Sale at 12 o'clock. Terms—Cash and Five per cent. Fees.

THURSDAY, 20TH MAY, AT 2.30 O'CLOCK.
AT OUR SALEROOMS, 39 WESTMORELAND STREET
(UNLESS PREVIOUSLY DISPOSED OF BY PRIVATE TREATY).

N.B.—Purchasers who may find it inconvenient to supply the full Purchase Money are invited to consult the Auctioneers prior to the day of the Sale; and, to facilitate intending Purchasers and Solicitors, Photographs of most of the Properties may be seen at their Offices, where also all further particulars and information may be obtained.

SAORSTAT EIREANN.
IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE—CHIEF JUSTICE.
In the Matter of
WILLIAM ALFRED TWINEM, GEORGE TWINEM, ELIZABETH MARY TWINEM, THOMAS AUGUSTUS TWINEM, and EDWINA EVA TWINEM, MINORS.

THE SHOP & PREMISES, NO. 31 LOWER CLANBRASSIL STREET,
TO BE SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION (pursuant to an Order of the Chief Justice, dated 23rd April, 1926), IN ONE LOT, at No. 39 WESTMORELAND STREET, DUBLIN, on THURSDAY, 20th day of MAY, 1926, at the hour of 2.30 o'clock, by Messrs. BATTERSBY and CO., Auctioneers.

The Purchaser will not be required to pay Auctioneers' Commission.

PARTICULARS.

"FOR SALE," the SHOP and PREMISES, known as No. 31 CLANBRASSIL STREET, situate in the Parish of St. Peter and City of Dublin, in which a Hardware, Chandlery, Oil and Colour business has been carried on for about fifty years.

Messrs. Twinem Bros. are disposing of these Premises in order to give their full time and attention to the manufacture of their Mineral Waters, Sauces and various other lines, and also to their Wholesale Chandlery trade.

The Premises comprise large Shop, with front and side windows; cellarage, store and office, large rear storage premises, modern built, with entrance to Lombard street, West, and loft over same, with hoist entrance. The Premises, which are in good general repair throughout, have a frontage of 21' and a depth of 78', and are situated in a thickly populated district, close to Leonard's Corner (two tram lines) and to the barracks and tobacco factories. The Premises are held, with the adjoining premises, under Indenture of Lease dated 15th August, 1876, from James FitzGerald Lombard and another to Michael Cashin, for the term of 900 years from the date thereof, at the yearly rent of £8, adjusted to £7 13/-, but indemnified against payment of £3 16/6 of said rent by the adjoining premises, No. 30 Lower Clanbrassil street. Poor Law Valuation £39. The Purchaser can take over the Stock in the Premises by arrangement.

For further particulars apply to
A. and L. GOODBODY, Solicitors Having Carriage of Sale, 24 Dame street; or the AUCTIONEERS.

BATTERSBY AND CO. WILL SELL BY AUCTION:
B. & Co. 106 SUMMERHILL ("BARNETT'S"), 20TH MAY
With Goodwill.
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL CHANDLERY AND GENERAL WAREHOUSE,

Situated in thickly populated district, and consisting of large double-fronted Shop, with cellarage, kitchen, parlour off same; large yard, store shed; 3 good rooms on first floor and 4 rooms over. A very successful business has been carried on for a number of years past. Held for 75 years to run at £30 per annum. Seen on our card. Further particulars AUCTIONEERS; or
CARRUTHERS and GAMBLE Solicitors, 39 Fleet street.

BATTERSBY AND CO. WILL SELL BY AUCTION
B. & Co. STRADBROOK HALL, STRADBROOK, BLACKROCK. 20TH MAY

ON 8 ACRES. POSSESSION. FREE OF RENT FOR EVER.

Substantially built Residence, conveniently situated a few minutes' walk from the tram line, with petty Pleasure Grounds. The accommodation consists of 4 reception rooms, billiard room, 6 bedrooms, 3 servants' rooms, 2 bathrooms, 2 w.c.s, tiled lounge (open air glazed roof) off drawingroom, and steps to the garden; gentlemen's cloakroom, with 2 lavatory basins (h. and c.); large kitchen, with usual domestic offices. Hot and cold water throughout by pump. Good gate lodge. Excellent gardens, greenhouse, etc. The entire is fully stocked with fruit trees; stabling, garage, range outoffices, 3 Fields for Grazing. The entire is in first-class order. Seen any time. Photo at Auctioneers. HELD FREE OF RENT FOR EVER.

Further particulars AUCTIONEERS; or HORAN and DEVINE, Solicitors, 12 Dame street.

BATTERSBY AND CO. WILL SELL BY AUCTION.
B. & Co. HOWTH—SHOP PREMISES. 20TH MAY

POSSESSION. CENTRAL SITUATION, OPPOSITE RAIL STATION.

First-class stand, opposite railway station and West Pier, ot tram line, having a frontage of 30 feet, and comprises large Shop, with concrete floor, counter and shelving; store shed and rear yard. Suitable for any class of business. Held for term of years, expiring in July, 1942 and thereafter subject to £1 per annum. Further particulars AUCTIONEERS; or
MONTGOMERY and CHATTOR, Solicitors, 15 Molesworth street.

"GLENLYON," SYDNEY PARADE, WE HAVE SOLD.

OUR SALE ON THE 3RD JUNE WILL INCLUDE—
10 MOUNT EDEN ROAD, DONNYBROOK. POSSESSION.
MODERN HOUSE, SELECT RESIDENTIAL LOCALITY.
"ADZAR," MONKSTOWN. POSSESSION.
A DETACHED RESIDENCE, LATELY RENOVATED AT GREAT EXPENSE.
BEREA HOUSE, RATHFARNHAM. POSSESSION.
A CHOICE MODERN HOUSE, CLOSE TO THE GOLF LINKS.

N.B.—OTHER LOTS MAY BE INCLUDED.

BATTERSBY & CO., AUCTIONEERS.
39 WESTMORELAND STREET, DUBLIN.

DOCKRELL LIMITED. M.I.A.A.
THRESHING SETS, MOTORS, MACHINERY.

WE are instructed by Mr George Cathcart, who is giving up the business, TO SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, ON THURSDAY NEXT, MAY 13th (THE SECOND DAY OF THE SPRING SHOW), AT 12 O'CLOCK, AT

6 RATHMINES AVENUE, RATHMINES.

1 3 h.p. Traction Engine, by Wallis and Stevens, Expansion Gear and Spring Mounted; 1 A 54 Leviathan Threshing Machine, by Ransome, fitted with Howard Single Band Straw Trusser, Dandy Knotter; 1 A 50 Ransome Traction Engine; 1 A 54 Ransome Threshing Machine, fitted with Howard Single Band Straw Trusser, Dandy Knotter; 1 A 48 Heavy Ransome Threshing Machine, 1 Rotary Sand Screen, capable of dealing with 18 tons per hour, separating sand, 1", 1", 1" and 1¼" pebbles, and screen tops, 6 b.p. Barker Engine, friction drive, on 6 rollers, a new machine; 1 6 B.H.P. Petrol Engine, Band Saw, for hand or power; Engineer's Lathe, with compound slide rest, 7' centres for power or driving; Drilling Machine, Emery Grinder, Grimo Stone, Portable Forge and Vice, one set 5-Ton Sheer Legs, Set 5-Ton Chain Blocks, Spur Blocks, Slings and Shackles, two 8-Ton Traction Waggons, one 4-Ton Reliable Lorry, with new body and canopy, reconditioned; one 10/12 h.p. Belsize 3-Seater Car, with Michael Cashin, for the term of 900 years from the date thereof, at the yearly rent of £8, adjusted to £7 13/-, but indemnified against payment of £3 16/6 of said rent by the adjoining premises, No. 30 Lower Clanbrassil street. Poor Law Valuation £39. The Purchaser can take over the Stock in the Premises by arrangement.

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With Goodwill.
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL CHANDLERY AND GENERAL WAREHOUSE,

Situated in thickly populated district, and consisting of large double-fronted Shop, with cellarage, kitchen, parlour off same; large yard, store shed; 3 good rooms on first floor and 4 rooms over. A very successful business has been carried on for a number of years past. Held for 75 years to run at £30 per annum. Seen on our card. Further particulars AUCTIONEERS; or
CARRUTHERS and GAMBLE Solicitors, 39 Fleet street.

BATTERSBY AND CO. WILL SELL BY AUCTION
B. & Co. STRADBROOK HALL, STRADBROOK, BLACKROCK. 20TH MAY

ON 8 ACRES. POSSESSION. FREE OF RENT FOR EVER.

Substantially built Residence, conveniently situated a few minutes' walk from the tram line, with petty Pleasure Grounds. The accommodation consists of 4 reception rooms, billiard room, 6 bedrooms, 3 servants' rooms, 2 bathrooms, 2 w.c.s, tiled lounge (open air glazed roof) off drawingroom, and steps to the garden; gentlemen's cloakroom, with 2 lavatory basins (h. and c.); large kitchen, with usual domestic offices. Hot and cold water throughout by pump. Good gate lodge. Excellent gardens, greenhouse, etc. The entire is fully stocked with fruit trees; stabling, garage, range outoffices, 3 Fields for Grazing. The entire is in first-class order. Seen any time. Photo at Auctioneers. HELD FREE OF RENT FOR EVER.

Further particulars AUCTIONEERS; or HORAN and DEVINE, Solicitors, 12 Dame street.

BATTERSBY AND CO. WILL SELL BY AUCTION.
B. & Co. HOWTH—SHOP PREMISES. 20TH MAY

POSSESSION. CENTRAL SITUATION, OPPOSITE RAIL STATION.

First-class stand, opposite railway station and West Pier, ot tram line, having a frontage of 30 feet, and comprises large Shop, with concrete floor, counter and shelving; store shed and rear yard. Suitable for any class of business. Held for term of years, expiring in July, 1942 and thereafter subject to £1 per annum. Further particulars AUCTIONEERS; or
MONTGOMERY and CHATTOR, Solicitors, 15 Molesworth street.

"GLENLYON," SYDNEY PARADE, WE HAVE SOLD.

OUR SALE ON THE 3RD JUNE WILL INCLUDE—
10 MOUNT EDEN ROAD, DONNYBROOK. POSSESSION.
MODERN HOUSE, SELECT RESIDENTIAL LOCALITY.
"ADZAR," MONKSTOWN. POSSESSION.
A DETACHED RESIDENCE, LATELY RENOVATED AT GREAT EXPENSE.
BEREA HOUSE, RATHFARNHAM. POSSESSION.
A CHOICE MODERN HOUSE, CLOSE TO THE GOLF LINKS.

N.B.—OTHER LOTS MAY BE INCLUDED.

BATTERSBY & CO., AUCTIONEERS.
39 WESTMORELAND STREET, DUBLIN.

DOCKRELL LIMITED. M.I.A.A.
THRESHING SETS, MOTORS, MACHINERY.

WE are instructed by Mr George Cathcart, who is giving up the business, TO SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, ON THURSDAY NEXT, MAY 13th (THE SECOND DAY OF THE SPRING SHOW), AT 12 O'CLOCK, AT

6 RATHMINES AVENUE, RATHMINES.

1 3 h.p. Traction Engine, by Wallis and Stevens, Expansion Gear and Spring Mounted; 1 A 54 Leviathan Threshing Machine, by Ransome, fitted with Howard Single Band Straw Trusser, Dandy Knotter; 1 A 50 Ransome Traction Engine; 1 A 54 Ransome Threshing Machine, fitted with Howard Single Band Straw Trusser, Dandy Knotter; 1 A 48 Heavy Ransome Threshing Machine, 1 Rotary Sand Screen, capable of dealing with 18 tons per hour, separating sand, 1", 1", 1" and 1¼" pebbles, and screen tops, 6 b.p. Barker Engine, friction drive, on 6 rollers, a new machine; 1 6 B.H.P. Petrol Engine, Band Saw, for hand or power; Engineer's Lathe, with compound slide rest, 7' centres for power or driving; Drilling Machine, Emery Grinder, Grimo Stone, Portable Forge and Vice, one set 5-Ton Sheer Legs, Set 5-Ton Chain Blocks, Spur Blocks, Slings and Shackles, two 8-Ton Traction Waggons, one 4-Ton Reliable Lorry, with new body and canopy, reconditioned; one 10/12 h.p. Belsize 3-Seater Car, with Dickey; one 20 h.p. Overland Van, one 6-Ton Spotted Steam Waggon, one 25 h.p. Albion Covered Van, one 30 Cwt. Converted Van (Traveller's Saloon), Engineers' Tools, Heavy Timber, one 12-40 Metallurgique Saloon, cost £575 in 1925, has done about 6,000 miles.

The Threshing Sets are in excellent order.

On View on Tuesday and Wednesday, 11th and 12th May.

PROPERTY SALE, THURSDAY NEXT, 13TH MAY, 1926, IN OUR SALEROOMS, 38 & 39 SOUTH GREAT GEORGE'S ST.

HERBERT LODGE, COLIEMORE ROAD, DALKEY.
WITH POSSESSION.

An attractive Semi-detached Residence, containing hall, 3 reception, 5 bedrooms, kitchen, hot and cold bath, pantries; rice garden. The Premises are held for 999 years from 1851, subject to £14 per annum, P.L. Valuation, £34.

For Conditions of Sale, apply to Messrs. W. J. SHANNON & CO., 19 Upper Ormond quay; or for Orders to View from the AUCTIONEERS.

OF INTEREST TO MERCHANTS AND BUSINESS FIRMS REQUIRING SPACE FOR STABLING, GARAGE OR STORES, CLOSE TO THE CENTRE OF THE CITY.

5 AND 6 DIGGES LANE.
BEHIND MERCER'S HOSPITAL, AND APPROACHED FROM AUNGIER STREET AND LOWER STEPHEN STREET.

Large yard, measuring about 85ft. by 85ft., with large hayshed, stabling stores, etc. Possession of the greater portion can be had. Two small Stores on the front are let at £36 8/- and £30, and the Cottage is let at £20 8/-. Head rent, £40. Lease 200 years.

For Conditions of Sale apply to Messrs. J. L. BURKE and CO., 63 Upper Sackville street; or for Orders to View from the AUCTIONEERS.

TO BUILDERS, CONTRACTORS AND OTHERS. NO. 4A WINDSOR AVENUE, FAIRVIEW
(IF NOT PREVIOUSLY SOLD BY PRIVATE TREATY).

The Property offered for Sale comprises large walled-in yard, covering 1 acre of ground, with new building and offices, lavatories, etc.; water and sewerage. The Workshop is 75ft. long. Would suit a Factory or Building Contractor.

Held under lease for about 20 years to run at 17/- per annum.

For further particulars and Conditions of Sale apply to
W. T. McCULLOUGH, Esq., Solicitor, 43 Dawson street; or for Orders to View from the AUCTIONEERS.

HOUSE AND FURNITURE, THURSDAY, 20TH MAY. 78 LEINSTER ROAD, RATHMINES.

A superior House of very substantial construction, and on which a very considerable expenditure has been made. The House is in excellent order, and is now ready for immediate occupation. It contains drawingroom, diningroom and breakfast room, 4 bedrooms, maid's room, large kitchen, 3 pantries, bath, with hot and cold supply; hand basin, copper cylinder, 2 w.c.'s; large garden, garage to accommodate two cars, side entrance. The back and side of the house have been compoed. The purchaser will get vacant possession. Head rent £6; lease 800 years. P.L.V., £40.

The House can be inspected at any time by arrangement with the AUCTIONEERS.

JOHN H. CALLAN, Solicitor, 1 Suffolk street.

A very fine Mahogany Cabinet Sideboard, with mirror back, and cornice, supported by 4 carved pillars; Upright Piano, by Pigott; elaborately Carved Dark Oak Bookcase, do. Overmantel Mirror, do. Sideboard, with mirror back; Oak Dumb Waiter, Mahogany Oval and Dining Table, with screw-expanding frame and 4 loose leaves; Mahogany Cylindrical-front Writing Desk, Mahogany Secretaire Bookcase, Drawingroom Suite, comprising: Settee, 4 Occasional and 2 Tub Chairs; Inlaid Walnut Cabinet, with mirror back; Enclosed Mahogany China Cabinet, Carved Ebony Cabinet, with claw feet; Oak Secretaire, Inlaid Rosewood-framed Overmantel Mirror, Mahogany-framed do.; Pair of Divan Chairs, Chesterfield, in rexine; Set of 10 Dining and a Carver's Chair, in black oak; Stairwood Breakfast Table, with screw-expanding frame; 6 light Oak Dining Chairs, Oak Hall Stand, Oak Hall Bench, Axminster Carpets, Brass Curbs, do. Log Box, Oil Paintings, Engravings, Electric Fittings, Pierced Gallery, Sheffield Tray, Inlaid Mahogany Bedroom Suite, Stained Wood do., All-brass and Inlaid Mahogany Beds, Spring and Hair Mattresses, Singer Sewing Machine, Gramophone, some Plated Ware, Table, China and Glass, Kitchen Dresser.

FURNITURE ON VIEW DAY PREVIOUS TO SALE.

THE HOUSE WILL BE SOLD AT 12 O'CLOCK. THE SALE OF THE FURNITURE WILL COMMENCE IMMEDIATELY AFTERWARDS.

DOCKRELL LIMITED, M.I.A.A.,
AUCTIONEERS AND HOUSE AGENTS,
38 AND 39 SOUTH GREAT GEORGE'S STREET, DUBLIN.

TAMNAGHARRIE PARK, WARRENPOINT, CO. DOWN.
(SIX MILES FROM NEWRY AND FOUR FROM WARRENPOINT).
ABSOLUTE CLEARANCE SALE OF ANTIQUE AND MODERN FURNITURE.

MRS. BRADLEY, who is leaving for Irish Residence, instructs us to SELL BY AUCTION, on the PREMISES, on MONDAY NEXT, 10th MAY, 1926, at Eleven a.m.

THE ENTIRE CONTENTS of 5 RECEPTION ROOMS, 5 BEDROOMS, HALL, etc., which include many examples of the Nelson, Empire, and Georgian periods, amongst which are rare Adam Mahogany Chairs, beautiful Chippendale Side Tables, Chippendale Secretaire Bookcase and Corner Cupboard, Chippendale Chairs, in original condition; Old Sheraton 2-Door Wardrobe and Old Sheraton Tallboy, Set of 6 Old Empire Chairs, a rare Old Empire Card Table, Hepplewhite Chairs, magnificent Old Waterford Glass Salad Bowl, Dresden and other Old China; some fine pieces of Jacobean Oak, an 18th Century Mahogany Sofa Table, Sheraton Grandfather Clock, a rare 17th Century Brittany Oak Armoire and a quantity of Modern Furniture and Outside Effects.

VIEW DAY—TO-DAY (SATURDAY), 8th May, 1926, from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Admission to View and Sale by Catalogue only, price One Shilling, to be had from the Auctioneers. Catalogues now ready.

Intending Purchasers are advised to go via Newry, as the Residence is most easily approached by this road.

WOODS & M'CLURE.
AUCTIONEERS, 43 CHICHESTER STREET, BELFAST, AND 6 BOW STREET, LISBURN.

BARNCLOSE, SHANKILL, CO. DUBLIN.

BENNETT & SON, LTD., are favoured with instructions to SELL BY AUCTION, on the above Premises, commencing at 2 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY NEXT, 12th MAY, 1926, THE RESIDUE OF FURNITURE IN THE ABOVE RESIDENCE.

Chiefly: Set of 8 Mahogany Dining Chairs, Mahogany Sarcophagus, Oval End Mahogany Dining Table, Empire Couch, in carved wood frame; Overmantels, in black and gold frames; Mahogany Bookcase, Walnut Sutherland Table, Pair of Antique Mahogany Carved Chairs, Oak Four-tier Waiter, Couches, Circular Mahogany Table, Easy and Occasional Chairs, Brass Fenders and Cloth Curbing, Set 5ft. Mahogany Writing Table, Inlaid Tripod ditto, Mahogany Dressing Tables, Washstands and Chests of Drawers, Carpets and Linoleums, Bedsteads and Mattresses, Plated Ware, Kitchen Furniture, etc., etc.

On View the Morning of the Sale. Purchasers to pay 5 per cent. Auction Fees.

BENNETT & SON, LIMITED, M.I.A.A.,
AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS, 6 UPPER ORMOND QUAY, DUBLIN

POULDREW HOUSE, KILMEADEN, CO. WATERFORD.

BENNETT & SON, LTD., beg to announce that they are favoured with instructions to SELL BY AUCTION (if not previously disposed of by Private Treaty), at POULDREW, on WEDNESDAY, MAY 19th, 1926, at 12 o'clock, THE ABOVE

ATTRACTIVE MODERN RESIDENCE
TOGETHER WITH
ABOUT 73 ACRES (STATUTE) OF PASTURE AND OTHER LANDS.

POULDREW HOUSE is situated 7 miles from WATERFORD CITY, 1 mile from KILMEADEN STATION, and 4 miles from PORTLAW, and in the centre of the Curraghmore hunting district. It contains spacious hall, 4 reception rooms, 6 large bedrooms, 2 bathrooms, with excellent service and staff accommodation; gravity water supply; modern installation, and electric light. The entire Building is in first-class condition, as are the commodious out-offices, which provide garage for motors and carriages; stabling for horses and cattle.

ABOUT 3 ACRES OF THE LANDS are laid out in tennis and croquet lawns, flower and vegetable gardens, and ornamental lake, stocked with trout. THE REMAINDER, well sheltered by larch, fir and other timber, provide excellent grazing.

THE FOREGOING PROPERTY, which is subject to an annual charge of £24, includes 10 Cottages, situated without the Demesne, the letting of which and certain lands give an incoming of about £150 per annum.

The House and Lands can be Viewed by arrangement with the Auctioneers. The purchaser will be required to pay 5 per cent. Auction Fees.

Conditions of Sale can be obtained from Messrs. ARTHUR COX & CO., Solicitors, 42 Stephen's Green, Dublin; or

BENNETT & SON, LIMITED, M.I.A.A.,
AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS,
6 UPPER